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Local Matters.

Death of an Old Newport Printer.

Mr. John A. Coen died at his residence 93 West Broadway, South Boston, Wednesday afternoon, after a short illness, of pneumonia. Deceased was born in New York City, June 2, 1834, and removed to Newport, R. I., at an early age. He learned the trade of compositor in this office and worked on the MERCURY under three different proprietors. He left here in April, 1870 and went to Boston where after working on the *Pilot* and other sheets, he accepted a position on the Boston *Globe* and held it till his death, a term of over twelve years. He was at his business on Thursday of last week, but complained of feeling unwell. On Friday he again visited the GLOBE composing-room, but on his return home took to his bed, the disease then having assumed a serious phase.

The deceased leaves a widow and five children, two sons and three daughters. He also leaves two brothers, Mr. Joseph V. Coen and Mr. Thomas Coen of this city. His remains were brought to Newport yesterday morning and the funeral was solemnized from St. Mary's Church at noon. Members of Winthrop Council, Royal Arcanum, of Boston, of which the deceased was a member, acted as bearers, and a number of his late associates on the *Globe* were present. The deceased was also a member of the Boston Typographical Union, and until the last few months had been also a member of the Franklin Typographical Society. Mr. Coen was a skillful workman and enjoyed the esteem of all who knew him.

Accident to a Diver.

Alderman Waters has a contract for removing the rocks from the bottom of the Pawtuxet river, and his schooner Young America with a force of men, including a diver, has been and is employed there. The diver is Mr. Stephen Lowe, and on Wednesday last he met with a serious and painful accident which might have proved fatal. The circumstances of which were as follows. A large rock had been broken by a charge of dynamite, and Mr. Lowe went down and sent up several large pieces. While attaching the hoisting chain to another piece it rolled over catching his hand and holding it fast. He signaled that he was caught, but before assistance could be rendered from above water, he unsided, disturbed the position of the rock so that his hand was released and he signaled to be hauled up. After reaching the schooner's deck it was found that all the fingers of the left hand were badly crushed the middle one being nearly severed. Mr Lowe left for his home in Boston in the afternoon and will doubtless be laid by from labor for a long time.

Unity Club Course.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement in another column of the Unity Club course of lectures and concerts to be given during the coming season. The decision of the Newport Artillery not to undertake a course of lectures this winter is much to be regretted. It will leave the Unity Club series practically the only resource of our lecture-going and music-loving public. A course, which includes such names as the novelist Geo. W. Cable, Mrs. Mary Livermore, Mr. Parsons, Mr. Woollett and the Beethoven and Mendelssohn Instrumental clubs, ought to be well patronized, especially at the low rate at which the tickets have been placed. It is announced that as the church can comfortably seat only a limited number of persons, the number of course tickets sold to others than members of the Unity Club will also be limited, and intending subscribers should secure their seats at once.

Republican Meeting.

The Republicans of Newport propose to hold a ratification meeting on Wednesday evening next. Representative Davis of Fall River, Senator Aldrich and Representative Spooner of this State and ex-Gov. Van Zandt have all consented to be present and make addresses. It is quite possible that Hon. R. M. Morse, jr., of Boston, the chairman of the late Massachusetts Republican State Convention, and Col. A. M. King of Maryland may be among the speakers on that occasion. The two latter gentlemen are among the best speakers in the country. Mr. Morse has for several years trained with the Independent party in Massachusetts and can probably give our independent friends some information which may be of benefit to them. It is expected that the Blaine and Logan regiment will turn out in full ranks. The Blaine and Logan Glee Club will furnish the music and a good time is expected.

Commodore S. B. Luce, U. S. N., gave an elegant reception to Governor Bourn and staff yesterday afternoon on board the Tennessee, flag ship of the North Atlantic Squadron. A large number of guests including officers of the Military and Naval Stations here and many of the principal cottagers were present.

Admiral Luce leaves the command of the North Atlantic squadron to-day.

An Attempt at Suicide.

Mr. L. R. Blackman, of Caswell, Massey & Co., was busy writing till a late hour Tuesday night and closing the store about 11 o'clock went to a restaurant near by for a lunch. While there he was called out by a man who said a woman wanted to get some medicine. Mr. Blackman immediately went to his store where he found a young woman apparently in great distress. He questioned her as to what she had eaten and she admitted having taken Paris green with the intention of killing herself and said that it made her sick. She was thoroughly frightened at what she had done and was anxious to be saved. As she had vomited excessively Mr. Blackman did not consider an emetic necessary but gave her some quieting potion and then advised her companion to take her to the Police Station where she could have the care of a regular physician. This was done and Mr. Blackman followed them to see that a doctor was promptly summoned. In the absence of City Physician Turner, they sent for Dr. Coggeshall who remained with the girl until she was out of danger, and Wednesday morning the young woman was allowed to depart without restrictions. At the Station she again admitted having taken the poison with the intention of suicide and said that she was driven to it through trouble with her relatives. She gave her name as Mary N. Nelson and her age as 17 years. She said that she was employed in the family of Abram Brown in Middletown, but that she was in the habit of coming to Newport once in a while, and when she did she stopped with Mrs. Hunnewell. This Mrs. Hunnewell is of Long Wharf fame, but now occupies a tenement in the "Blocks." It was at her house where the girl said she took the poison, and her companion at the drug store and police station was a fort soldier, who said he chanced to be in the house at the time the dose was taken. It was also to this house the girl was allowed to return immediately upon her recovery.

Just what the duties of the authorities in charge of the Station House are under such circumstances we do not pretend to know, but it would seem that, instead of opening the doors, immediately upon this girl's recovery and telling her to go, an investigation as to the causes which led her to the rash act of attempting her own life would have been highly proper, as then something might have been done to better her condition. Sometimes little things prevent great crimes.

OLYMPIAN CLUB RINK

And its Many Attractions.

The benefit given the Old Newport Polo Team at the Olympian Club Rink Wednesday evening proved a very successful affair though the audience was not as large as the object deserved. A large number of rollers were in use and the surface was well patronized by skaters until half-past nine o'clock when it was cleared for a polo contest between the Alhambras of South Boston and the old Newports. The teams took their places, Van Wilbor of the '83s playing in the Newport team in place of Buffum, who was absent from the city, and game was called at 9:55 The home team took the first, fourth and fifth goals, in five, nine and two minutes respectively, Van Wilbor winning the first and fifth and A. Burdick the fourth. The second and third goals were won by the visitors in one and twelve minutes respectively. Last evening the Newports '83 and the Wideawakes played their first game of a tournament for the championship of Newport and a set of silver medals. This evening the instrumental and vocal concert of Tuesday evening will be repeated by request. Signa Barratta Morgan, the celebrated Italian prima Donna has been re-engaged for the occasion and judging from the press notices which have been given her, both in this country and Europe, a grand musical treat may be expected.

The rink management are busily engaged with arrangements for the grand carnival to be given on the 30th inst.

The Old Colony Steamers.

The steamer Bristol arrived here on Saturday from New York, where she has been in the dry dock long enough to have her bottom newly planked and coppered, and her hull is now in as good or even better condition than when she first came from the hands of her builders. After being fitted with electric light apparatus similar to that on the Pilgrim, and being painted she will take the place of the Providence, while she is receiving the electric light apparatus, and later on the Pilgrim will be withdrawn, and the line will be composed of the Providence and Bristol. The "Newport Line" having been discontinued, the Old Colony and City of Fall River comprise the freight line between N. Y. and Fall River, commencing on Monday last, the Old Colony leaving New York and the "City" leaving Fall River. The Newport is held in reserve at this place ready for any emergency that may arrive, and at the present all the boats of the Old Colony Steamship Company are in first class order.

Since writing the above a change has occured in the programme, in this way; the steamer City of Fall River, while on her way from New York, to Fall River, on Thursday night, and when off Plumb Island, was run into by a schooner whose jib-boom entered the after part of the port wheel house when it broke off, and she then swung alongside, ripping off the joiner work, and stanchions, running from the main to the upper deck for a space about thirty feet in length, mixing up and injuring a considerable amount of the freight for Newport parties. The boat proceeded to Fall River and after discharging her freight returned here, when repairs were immediately commenced. Three or four days will probably complete them, and in the meantime (we believe) the City of New Bedford will occupy the place of the disabled boat on the route.

Election of Officers.

The First M. E. Church Sunday School Board held its annual meeting Monday evening and elected the following officers for the year ensuing:

Superintendent—Jere W. Horton.
Assistant Superintendent—B. F. Thurston.
Secretary—Parker H. Thurston.
Treasurer—Miss Lizzie R. Lawton.
Librarian—William B. Bates.
Organist—Mrs. Eliza Stanhope.
Asst. Organist—Miss Alice C. Banning.
Chorister—William H. Arnold.

The Aquidneck Fair.

The 27th annual exhibition of this society has been a gratifying success. The weather has been all that could be desired, the attendance as large as usual and the exhibit one of the finest the society has ever given. The display of working oxen and fat cattle surpassed anything before seen on the Island and will probably surpass that made by any other society in New England. The large amount of fine Jersey stock attracted particular attention, while the sheep, swine and poultry houses were all filled with the very finest specimens of their kind.

The ladies' department, although somewhat smaller than during some years contained a larger quantity of fine goods than ever before. The fruit department made a very fine show, though not equal to what it might have been, while the vegetable display fell below what it should have been.—The farmers on this island can make as good a show in vegetables as any other place in the country and they ought to take greater pains to bring their goods to the fair. The ladies made an excellent showing of bread, cake, preserves, etc. The show of flowers, though not equal to last year, was very fair and attracted its share of attention.

Wednesday afternoon addresses were in order and shortly after one o'clock, Ex-Governor Van Zandt was introduced as the first speaker. He said that for himself he came to them confessing his lack of knowledge of the details of agricultural pursuits, but he was happy to inform them that there were those present who were overflowing with knowledge regarding matters in which his hearers were particularly interested. He referred at length to the difficulties under which the people labored in that part of New York State where he had spent a large portion of the summer, and compared them with the great advantages which the people of Newport county enjoyed to such a very large extent. To this fair island, he felt that heaven had blessed our people, for the surrounding country was not only of the most beautiful, but also the most fertile in New England, and scarcely excelled by anything to be found in the great Middle States. Here we have great resources, and they are made the most of by as practical a band of farmers as can be found anywhere. Our people are comfortably off, and there are but few who are suffering from dissipation or neglect of opportunities. The demand for agricultural products is great, and the supply that comes is unusually good, varying occasionally, but only to that extent that seems as a warning to be provident and frugal. Upon this latter point the speaker made some admirable and well-timed remarks, which were listened to with great attention.

Congressman Spooner was the next speaker, and after some pleasant allusions to his lack of knowledge of the practical workings of agriculture, congratulated those present on the evident prosperity of the Society and those who composed it. He said the fair grounds were the most beautifully situated of any in Rhode Island, in fact, of any he had ever seen. They occupy soil both fertile and productive, and have other advantages of which they might well be proud. It was his firm conviction that the agricultural community belonging to this section was far more prosperous and better situated than the farmers in the other sections of Rhode Island were, and so far as their property was concerned, it compares most favorably with any of the districts, even those of the great farming West. Mr. Spooner made a brief, reference to those wealthy ones who indulge in fancy farming, and which is frequently sneered at. It was very important to the practical farmers, because it gave them the advantage of observing the result of the experiments. From these experiments they were able to take the lesson without incurring any expense themselves. They can see what their neighbors do and learn what they ought to shun in the future. They had facilities and opportunities of observing the results made by these experimenters.

Mr. Daniel L. Ballou and Hon. J. C. Collins were introduced in turn and made able, well-timed and most practical, as well as earnest, addresses, which had the undivided attention of every listener. Mr. Ballou attracted a good deal of attention by the very excellent suggestions he made relative to the necessity of trees, for they not only enhanced the value of land, but increased the attractiveness of any and every farm. He referred at length to the choleric ravages which were making such an inroad into life in Europe, and begged the farmers to look well to the sanitary condition of their buildings, whatever they may be used for. Mr. Collins was humorous and at the same time made some valuable suggestions, which the farmers probably will not fail to heed.

The new secretary of the society, Mr. John J. Peckham, proved to be the right man in the right place. He carried everything in his department through without any friction. Messrs. Melville Bull, the general superintendent, and James Anthony, the superintendent of the building, A. A. Brown, Nathaniel Peckham, John Bluck, Truman B. Congdon, Thomas Burlingham and Wm. A. Peckham contributed very materially to the success of the fair. The judges all gave general satisfaction and deserve much credit. The display, especially of working oxen, was so uniformly good, that they found it very difficult to say which was the best.

In the ladies department, Mrs. Wm. A. Chase, Miss Sarah I. Chase, Mrs. Benjamin Howland, Miss. Howland, Mrs. Isaac B. Macomber, Miss. Rachel Anthony, Miss Hannah B. Anthony, Miss Carrie C. Chase were very efficient, and deserve great credit for their aid in making the fair a success.

The trotting this year was all by Newport Co. horses, and attracted more attention and gave better satisfaction than in former years. On the whole the fair has passed off very pleasantly and has furnished entertainment for a large number of persons. We give below the awards in the various departments:

Cattle.

Jerseys—W W Anthony, heifer, two years old, Devon, 2d $3; M Bull, cow, three years and over, Holstein, 2d $3; F M Ware, cow, three years and over, Grade Jersey, 1st $4; James M Sisson, same, 2d $3; Henry I Chase, same, 3d $2; N B Brown, one heifer, two years, 1st $3; Edward Almy, same, 2d $2; J M Sisson, same, 3d $1; N B Brown, heifer, one year, 1st 1 50; J M Sisson, same, 2d 1; W B Chase, Jr, same, 3d; W L Sisson, heifer calf, 1st; F M Ware, same, 2d; D B Hazard, cow, 3 years and over, Jersey, 1st $5; F A Lawton, same, 2d $4; W H Mayer, same, 3d $3; W H Mayer heifer, two years, Jersey, 1st $4; M Bull, same, 2d $3; E P Sisson, Jersey heifer, one year and over, 1st $3; W W Anthony, same, 2d $2; W L Sisson, same 3d $1; E P Sisson, Jersey heifer calf, 1st; E P Sisson, same, 2d; W H Mayer, same, 3d; J M Sisson, Jersey bull, 3 years and over, 1st 5; W H Mayer, same, 2d 4; W L Sisson, same, two years and over, 1st 4; W J Brown same, 2d 3; D Albro, same, 3d 2; W L Sisson, Jersey bull, 1 year 1st 3; W W Anthony, same, 2d 2; James M Sisson, Jersey bull calf, 1st; M Bull, same, 2d; F M Ware, same, 3d.

Short Horns and Ayrshires—H B Congdon, two years old Ayrshire heifer, 1st 3; A Smith, same, 2d 2, H D DeBlois, Jr, heifer, one year, 1st 1 50; W H Gardner, cow, three years, short horn, 2d 3. W H Gardner, heifer calf. 1st. H DeBlois, Jr, three years Ayrshire bull, 1st 5. D B Hazard, three years Ayrshire cow, 1st 5; H D DeBlois, Jr, same, 2d 4; D B Hazard, same, 3d 3; W J Brown, heifer, one year, 2d 2 D J Congdon, 3-year Ayrshire cow, 1st 4; H D DeBlois, Jr, same, 3d. 2.

Natives—J M Sisson, herd of cows, 1st 8; C H Congdon, same, 2d 6; F A Lawton, same, 3d 4 A A Brown, same, less than 6 years, 1st 6. A A Brown, milch cows, 1st 5, C H Congdon, 2d 4; H D DeBlois, Jr, 3d 3. A A Brown, three-year and over native bull, 1st 5. C H Congdon, same, 2 years and over, 1st 4. S B Congdon, one-year bull, 1st 4; C H Congdon, same 2d, 3. F M Ware, bull calf, 1st 2. Alvin Smith, cow, 3 years and over, 1st 5; same, 2d 4; C H Congdon, same, 3d 3. Jas Anthony, heifer calf, 1st; C H Congdon, same, 2d.

Working Oxen—John Dring, pair 5 years and over, 1st 6; Edward Almy, same, 2d 5; S B Congdon, same, 3d 4; W L Sisson, pair four years and over, 1st 5; W H Mayer, same, 2d 4; Wm Bailey, same, 3d 3; John Dring, pair steers, three years old, 1st 3; same, 2d 3; A A Brown, pair steers two years old, 1st 3; E P Sisson, pair steers one year old, 1st 2.

Fat Cattle—S B Congdon, fat ox, 1st, $5; Benj Brown, do, 2d $3; C C Slocum, pair fat oxen, 1st, $10; Wm Bailey, do, 2d $6; S B Congdon, do, 3d $3; David Albro, fat cow, 1st, $3; C H Congdon, do, 2d, $2.

Swine.

A A & N B Brown, boar Chester White, 1st, $3; W J Brown, boar Cheshire, 1st, $3; A A Brown, breeding sow Chester White, 1st, $4; N B Brown, breeding sow Chester White, 2d, $2; W J Brown, breeding sow Cheshire, 1st, $1; W J Brown, litter of pigs, Cheshire, 2d, $2; A A Brown, litter of pigs, Chester White, 1st, $3; N B Brown, same, 2d, $2; W J Brown, litter of pigs, Cheshire, 1st, $3; H D DeBlois, Jr, breeding sow, Berkshire, 1st, $4; same, boar, Poland China, 1st, $3; same, store hogs any breed, 1st, $4; W W Anthony, fat hogs, any breed, 1st, $4; same, same, 2d, $2; same, same, 3d, $1; W H Gardner, breeding sow, any breed, 1st, $4; A A Brown, same, 2d, $2; F M Ware, litter pigs, any breed, 1st, $3; W H Gardner, same, 2d, $2; A A Brown, same, 3d, $1; W H Mayer, litter young pigs, 1st, $4; F M Ware, same, 2d, $3.

Sheep.

W L Sisson, buck, Southdown, 1st, $4; Edward Buffum, same, 2d $2; W H Mayer, same, 3d $1; Isaac S. Hazard, buck lambs, 1st $3; Edward Buffum, same, 2d $2; W L Sisson, same, 3d, $1; W H Mayer, pen of three ewes, 1st, $5; W L Sisson, same, 2d $3; Edward Buffum, same, 3d $1; W L Sisson, pen three ewe lambs, 1st $3; D B Hazard, same, 2d $2; Edward Buffum, same, 3d $1; C H Congdon, pen of three ewe Cottswold, 2d $3; F M Ware, same, 3d $1; C H Congdon, bucks, native, 1st $3; F M Ware, same, 2d $2; W L Sisson, pen of three ewes, natives, 1st, $4; S B Congdon, same, 2d $2; C H Congdon, same, 3d $1.

Agricultural Implements.

George A Weaver, best display, 1st $5; same, best mowing machine, 1st $3; same, best horse rake, 1st $3; same, best plough 1st $3; same, best pump, 1st $3; James F Marden, best display of stoves, 1st $5; Stafford Bryer, best furniture, 1st $5; Baker & Watts, potato digger, 1st $2.

Grain.

Henry I Chase, bushel corn, 1st; W H Gardner, same, 2d; G E Sisson, bushel rye, 1st; same, bushel barley, 1st; Joseph G Dennis, 12 ears early sweet corn, 1st; W H Gardner, 12 ears Stowell's evergreen corn, 1st; Jos G Dennis, 12 ears pop corn, 1st; W A Chase, same, 2d.

Vegetables.

C H Congdon, one half bushel Mangolds, 1st; M Bull, one-half bushel stock beets, 1st. W J Brown, one-half bushel red onions, 1st; Jonas Sweet, 2d; same, one-half bushel Danvers onions, 1st; Charles Peckham, 2d: same, 2d. A C Barker, peck parsnips, 1st; same Paragon tomatoes, 1st. John H Chase, Livingston tomatoes, 1st. Mrs. W H Gardner, yellow tomatoes, 1st. W H Gardner, White Mountain beans, 1st. Jas Sweet, Early White beans, 1st. Melville Bull, Lima beans, 1st; same, peppers, 1st. Edward W Wyatt, bushel Early rose potatoes, 1st; Geo E Sisson, 2d. Edward W Wyatt, bushel Beauty of Hebron potatoes, 1st. James Sweet, Pearl of Savoy potatoes, 1st. M Bull, four heads of cabbage, 1st. A C Barker, three heads Red Drumhead, 1st; same, three summer squashes, 1st. Ashton C Barker, Pineapple squashes, 1st. John H Chase, same, 2d. John W Dennis, three Turban squashes, 1st. John H Chase, three Boston Marrow, 1st; M Bull, same, 2d. John H Chase, three Hubbard Squashes, 1st, same, three Summer Crookneck squashes, 1st: P H Sherman, same, 2d. James Anthony, three pumpkins, 1st; Geo. Coggeshall, same, 2d, Joseph P Barker, three heads of celery, 1st. Ashton C Baker, 2 mammoth manure squashes 1st 1.

Drawing Match—W B Chase, Jr., drawing match, pair oxen, over 3000 pounds, 1st, $8; C. H. Congdon, same, 2d, $5; S. B. Congdon, same, 3d, $3; R. P. Barker, pair oxen, less than 3000 pounds, 1st, $8; C. H. Congdon, same, 2d, $5; D B. Hazard, same, 3d, $3.

George E Sisson, ploughing, pair horses, 1st 8 S B Congdon, do. 1 pair oxen, 1st 8. A A Brown, do. 1 pair oxen, 2d 5 T B Congdon, do. 1 pair oxen, 3d. 3. Alton Howard Bailey, 13 years, ploughing by 1 yoke oxen, 1st, 5.

Fowls.

John H Chase, Light Brahmas, 1st 1 50; F M Ware, same, 3d 50c. W H Bateman, Buff Cochen, 1st 1 50; same, 2d, 1. same, black do, 1st 1 50; same, Ermineties, 1st 1 50; same, 2d 1; same, 3d 50c. Same, breeding pen Ermineties, 1st 1 50. Same, White Leghorns, 1st 1 50; F M Ware, Brown do, 2d 1. Wm H Bateman, Black Spanish, 1st 1 50; Philip Caswell, Houdans, 2d 1, Mrs John S Kesson, Black Red Game, 2d 1; Philip Caswell, Houdans, 3d 50c; Wm H Bateman, Golden Seabright Bantams, 1st 1 50; same, 2d 1 00. Same, Silver do do, 1st 1 50. same, Rumpkins, 1st 1 50. Chas H Hazard, Plymouth Rocks, 1st 1 50: Wm B Chase, Jr, same, 2d 1; F M Ware, same, 3d 50c. Chas H Hazard, breeding pen Plymouth Rocks, 1st 1 50; John Allan, 2d, same, 2d 75c. F M Ware, Bronze Turkeys, 1st 1 50. Wm H Bateman, largest collection fowls, 1st 1 50. Wm B Chase, Hen and Chickens, 1st 1 50; Master Harry R Weaver, same, 2d 1; F M Ware, Artificial Mother, 1st, 1 50. Walter E Fisher, pen of Rabbits, 1st 1 50. H G Wyatt, White Polish Bantams, 1st 1 50. Will Almy, black do, 1st 1 50. Wm L Sisson, Hong Kong Geese, 1st 1 50 Same, Bremen do, 1st 1 50; F M Ware, same, 3d 50c. Wm B Chase, Jr. Pekin Ducks, 1st 1 50. Mrs. John S Kesson, same, 2d 1. F M Ware, same, 3d 50c. Same, Embden Geese, 3d 50c. Will Almy, Speckled Bantams, gratuity, 75c. Charles Plummer, game Bantams, 1st 1 50. do do 3d 50. James H Goddard, do 2d 1. For pigeons of various sorts, Ellery G Peckham received 18 first prizes, 10 second 9 third.

Fruits.

Mrs P Caswell, Jr, peach tree in fruit, honorable mention. Elijah Anthony, Jamestown, yellow sweeting, 1st 50c. do do, green do, 1st 50c. Jas S Chase, Portsmouth, black gilliflower, 1st 50c Henry Anthony do, do 2d 25c. Stephen T Sherman do, Hubbardston Nonesuch 1st 50c Elijah Anthony, Jamestown do do, 2d 25c. do do do baldwin apple 1st 50c, James S Chase, Portsmouth, do do 2d 25c. Wm A Chase do leather coat russett 1st 50c. Elijah Anthony, Jamestown white sweeting 1st 50c. James S Chase, Portsmouth, New York pippin 1st 50c. Wm A Chase, do do do do 2d 25c Charles L Sherman, do Chessbrooks russetts 1st 50c Stephen T Sherman, do do do 2d 25c. Geo. B. Slocum, Jamestown, figs 1st 50c. R R Macomber, Portsmouth, seckel pear 1st 50c. James S Chase, do do do 2d 25c. Stephen T Sherman, do Buffum do, 1st 50c. R R Macomber, do do do 2d 25c. do do, Louise Bonne D Jersey do 1st 50c Elmer E Barker, do do do do 2d 25c do do do, winter vicar do 1st 50c. Stephen T Sherman, do bell lucrative do 1st 50c. R R Macomber do do do 2d 25c. James S Chase, do Buerre de Anjau do 1st 50c R R Macomber, do do do 2d 25c. Elmer E Barker, do vicars 1 50c. R R Macomber, do do 2d 25c. Elmer E Barker, do duchess d'Angouleme do 1st 50c. John Sherman, do do do 2d 25c. R R Macomber, do capsheaf do 1st 50c Stephen P Barker, Middletown do do 2d 25c Jos G Dennis, Portsmouth buerre of bilboa do 1st 50c. R R Macomber, do crassane do 1st 50c. John Sherman, do dearborn seedling 1st 50c. R R Macomber, do ornamental basket, 1st 1. Luther Bateman, Newport blackberries 50c. R R Macomber, Portsmouth doyenceola pear 1st 50c. Luther Bateman, Newport duchess do 1st 50c. R R Macomber, Portsmouth Urbaniste do 1st 50c same winter nellis 1st 50c. same morceau 1st 50c. same Lawrence 1st 50c. John Sherman, do 2d 25c E G Macomber, do late Crawford peach 1st 50c. do do white blossom 1st 50c. R R Macomber, Portsmouth, buerre d'claggo 1st 50c. Luther Bateman, Newport do do 2d 25c. R R Macomber, Portsmouth swan's orange 1st 50c Stephen P Barker, Middletown do do 2d 25c. R R Macomber, Portsmouth tyson 1st 50c. same golden buerre 1st 50c. same buerre hardy 1st 50c Stephen T Sherman, do sugar 1st 50c. Charles L Sherman, do do 2d 25c. Stephen T Sherman, do bells 1st 50c. same honeywell 1st 50c. D B Almy, do Bowen seedling 1st 50c. James S Chase do Sheldon 1st 50c. Paul M Barker, Newport do 2d 25c. John Sherman, Portsmouth buerre rosa 1st 50c. R R Macomber, do 2d 25c. Luther Bateman, Newport orange 1st 50c. Wm A Chase, Portsmouth do 2d 25c. Mrs Philip Caswell, Middletown black Hamburg grapes, 1st 50c. same bow wood muscat do 1st 50c. Charles L Sherman, Portsmouth Hartford prolific do 1st 50c. same native do 1st 50c. same 2d 25c. Miss Luna Gardner, Venner 1st 50c. Parker H Sherman, do champion 1st 50c. same Concord 1st 50c. Stephen P Barker, Middletown apple quince 1st 50c Charles L Sherman, Portsmouth do do 2d 25c. Joseph G Dennis, do Roxbury russett apple 1st 50c. Wm A Chase, do do do do 2d 25c. James S Chase, do golden do do 1st 50c. Henry Anthony, R I greening 1st 50c. James S Chase, do do do 2d 25c. same Porter do 1st 50c. Henry Anthony, do do do 2d 25c. James S Chase, Portsmouth, Tallman sweeting do 1st 50c. Wm A Chase, do do do do 2d 25c. James S Chase, do Rockbridge do 1st 50c. same, sapson do 1st 50c. Elijah Anthony, Jamestown do do 2d 25c. Henry Anthony, Portsmouth honey sweeting do 1st 50c. Daniel B Almy, do early Crawford peach 1st 50c. John Sherman, do seeknofurther apple 1st 50c. Charles L Sherman, do do do 2d 25c. same crab apple 1st 50c. James Sweet, do do do 2d 25c. Daniel Almy, do spice do 1st 50c. John Sherman, do do do 2d 25c. Wm H Chase, do peaked sweet do 1st 50c. John Sherman, do do do 2d 25c. James S Chase, do red spine apple 1st 50c. Daniel B Hazard, Middletown Tallman sweet 1st 50c. John Sherman, Portsmouth river apple 1st 50c Stephen T Sherman, do wine do 1st 50c Elijah Anthony, Jamestown do do 2d 25c. Charles L Sherman, Portsmouth redduck 1st 50c. Daniel B Almy, do red gilliflower apple 1st 50c. Joseph G Dennis, do fall pippin do 1st 50c. Wm A Chase, do sawyer sweeting 1st 50c Stephen T Sherman, do Tiffs do 1st 50c. James S Chase, do pearmain do 1st 50c. Wm A Chase, do do do 2d 25c. Jas S Chase, twenty ounce pippin 1st 50c. Wm A Chase, do striped sweeting 1st 50c. James S Chase, do sweeting 1st 50c. same Peck's pleasant 1st 50c. Elijah Anthony, Jamestown fall greening 1st 50c Henry Anthony, Portsmouth pumpkin sweet 1st 50c Elijah Anthony, Jamestown honey greening 1st 50c. Wm L Sisson, Portsmouth bartlett pear 1st 50c. James S Chase, do do do 2d 25c. R R Macomber, do buerre de ferme pear 1st 50c. J R Peckham, Middletown congress do 1st 50c. Stephen P Barker, do do do 2d 25c R R Macomber, Portsmouth buerre diel pear 1st 50c. Stephen P Barker, Middletown flemish beauty 1st 50c. R R Macomber, Portsmouth do do 2d 25c. John R Peckham, Middletown Clapp favorite 1st 50c. James S Chase, Portsmouth do do 2d 25c R R Macomber, do Howell 1st 50c. same doyenne boussock 1st 50c D B Almy, do do do 2d 25c. R R Macomber, do hardy superfine 1st 50c. same Pratt pear 1st 50c. D B Almy, do do 2d 25c. Stephen P Barker, Middletown Barker do 1st 50c. Nathaniel Peckham, do do do 2d 25c.

Plants and Flowers.

Mrs C N Chase, Verbenas, special, 50c. M C Ward, Verbenas, 1st 1. Robert Wilson, Verbenas, 2nd 50c. Mrs Chas Ward, Asters, 1st 2. Robert Wilson, Asters, 2nd 1. Mrs Lydia B Chase, Aster, special, 50c. J R Caswell, Dahlias, 1st 1. Mrs C H Ward, Zinnias, 2nd 50. Mrs L B Chase, Zinnias, 1st 1. Robert Wilson, Fuchsias, 1st 1. Mrs L B Chase, 2 table Bouquets, 1st 1. Mrs Chas H Ward, 2 Hand Bouquets, 1st 1. Mrs Chas H Ward, 2 Hand Bouquets, 2d 50; Mrs M Caswell, best cut Wild Flowers, 1st 1. Wm A Chase, cut Wild Flowers, 2d 50; Mr Chas Ward, Salvia, special, 50c. Mrs L B Chase, Begonia, special, 50c. Robert Wilson, cut Green House plants, 1st 5; Mrs Lydia B Chase, Calla, 2nd 50c. Mrs W W Anthony, Calla, 1st 1. Mrs Chas H Ward, double Geranium, 2nd 50c. B. F. Taggart, Fuchsias, 2nd 50c. Mrs L B Chase, English Ivy, 1st 1. Mrs C H Ward, Bouvardias, 1st 2. Robert Wilson, cut Callas, 1st 2. Mrs W R Gardiner, cut Callas, 2nd, 1. Mrs L B Chase, double Petunias, 1st 1 Robert Wilson, Rustic Stand, 1st 3. Mrs J L Harrington, 1 dish of Moss, special, 5 Mrs J L Caswell, 2 tubs margolds, special, 1. Mrs L E Peckham, Dried Flowers, special, 1. Mrs Joseph L Chase, Dried Flowers, special, 50. Luther Bateman, Swamp Cotton, special, 50. Mrs J L Harrington, cut Petunias, 50.

Horses.

A T Peckham, Stallion, 6 years and over, 1st $8; Owen Manchester, stallion, 6 years and over, 2d 5. T B Buffum, 1 draft stallion, 4 years old, 1st 7. H Bull, jr., driving stallion, 4 years old, 1st 7. J S Anthony, stallion, 2 yrs old, 1st 4. H Anthony, stallion, 2 years old, 2d 2. A L Wilbur, gelding, 3 years old, 1st 5. A A Brown, filley, 3 years old, 2d 3. J B Buffum, 1 filley, 2 years old, special, 1st 4. John F Chase, 1 gelding, 2 years old, 1st 4. Chas H Ward, 1 filley, 2 years old, 2d 2, Joseph P Bailey, 1 filley, 2 years old, 3d 1. A A Brown, breed mare with colt 1st 6. David Buffum, breed mare with colt, 2d 4. D B Anthony, pair carriage horses, 1st 6. John F Chase, horse 5 years old, 1st 6. H Bull jr., horse 5 years old, 2d 4 R Lewis, horse 5 years old. 3d 2. Chas H Hazard, horse 4 years old, 1st 5. A A Brown, horse 4 years old, 2d 3. F M Ware, horse 4 years old, 3d 2. Melville Bull, family carriage horse, 1st 4. F M Ware, family carriage horse, 2d 2. Lena M C Gardner, family carriage horse, 3d 1. Joseph T Parry, gentleman's driving horse, 1st 4. C H Congdon, gentleman's driving horse, 2d 2. A A Brown, gentleman's driving horse, 3d 1. F M Ware, saddle horse, 1st 3. Mrs Frank Smythe, saddle horse, 2d 2. George Burnside Anthony, ponies, 1st 3. Mrs W H Mayer, ponies, 2d 2. T B Buffum, ponies, 3d 1, J O C Peckham, single draft horse, 1st 4.

Dairy and Farm Productions.

Mrs Clara E Dennis, peaches, sweet pickles 1st $1. Mrs Benj. F Taggart, peaches sweet pickles, 2d 25c. Miss Maria Hazard, collection of jellies, 1st 1.50. Mrs Joseph H Child, canned huckleberries, 1st 50. Miss L E Peckham, canned huckleberries, 2d, 25. Mrs J O C Peckham, canned pears, 1st 50. Mrs Clara E Dennis, canned pears 2d 25. Mrs B F Taggart, canned pears, 3d 25 Mrs L E Peckham, canned peaches, 1st 50. Mrs J O C Peckham, canned peaches, 2d 25. Mrs Lydia B Chase, canned blackberries, 1st 50 Annie P Smith, canned blackberries, 2d 25. Clara E Dennis, canned cherries, 1st 50. Mrs Wm H Gardner, cheese, 1st 1. Joel Peckham, bee's wax, 1st 75. Joel Peckham, strained honey, 1st 1. Joel Peckham, Honey in comb 1st 1.

Nellie R Peckham, sponge cake, 1st $1. Lena Gardner, sponge cake, 2d 50c. Mrs Fred A Field, chocolate cake, 1st 1. Mrs Chas H Ward, chocolate cake, 2d 50c. Mrs C Ward, jelly cake, 1st 1. Seth B Hammett, jelly cake, 2d 50. Miss Lena Gardner, jelly cake, 3d 25. Mrs Chas Ward, cocoanut cake, 1st 1. Miss Maria B Hazard, cocoanut cake, 2d 50c. Miss Maria B Hazard, chocolate cake, 3d 25c Ellen E Smith, lady fingers, 1st 1. Miss Maria B Hazard, pound cake, 1st 1. Miss Maria B Hazard, white mountain cake, 1st 1. Mrs T Simpson, white mountain cake, 2d 50c. Mrs Seth B Hammett, malagar cake, 2d 50. Mrs Seth B Hammett, orange cake, 1st 1. Mrs Chas Ward, cream cake, 1st 1. Mrs Seth B Hammett, cream cake, 2d 50.

Mrs E C Hemans, butter, 1st $3. Miss Mary Carlson, rolls, 1st 1. Miss Ellen Smith, rolls, 2d 50. Mrs W H Smith, rolls, 3d 25. Miss Fannie F Chase, raised biscuit, 1st 1. Mrs D B Hazard, raised biscuit, 2d 50. Esther Smith, cream puffs, 1st 50. Mrs Ann Peckham, raised biscuit, 2d 25c. Mrs Chas H Hazard, white bread, 1st 1. Mrs Wm H Gardner, brown bread, 1st 1. Mrs A A Tilley, brown bread, 2d 50c. L E Peckham, blackberry jelly, 1st 50. Mrs Joseph H Childs, 2d blackberry jelly, 25c, Miss Ellen Smith, beach plum, 1st 50c. Mrs Clara E Dennis quince canned, 1st 50c, Lena Gardner quince canned, 2d 25c. L E Peckham, quince canned, 3d 25.

Needle and Fancy Work.

Fannie P Dennis, embroidered thermometer, gratuity, 50c; Ivah E Greene, lady's shoulder cape, gratuity, 75c; Mrs T A Hubbard, crochet tidy, gratuity, 75c; Mrs W H Smith, specimen of twine work, gratuity, 50c; Mrs John L Harrington, paper work, 2d, 25c; Mrs H Thurston, rag rug, gratuity, 50c; Miss Julia A Peckham, knitted edging, 1st, 75c; Miss E E Smith, knitted edging, 2d, 37c; Maria B. Hazard, crochet edging, 1st, 75c; Mrs J W Gifford, crochet edging, 2d, 37c; Mrs W P Macomber, infant's afghan, 1st, 2.00; Mrs J B Macomber, infant's afghan, 2d, 1.00; Mrs Isaac Chase, toilet slippers, 1st, 75c; E G Smith, toilet slippers, 2d, 37c; Mrs W P Macomber, infant's sack, 1st, 75c; Mrs Isaac Chase, infant's sack, 2d, 37c; Abbie T Chase, cross-stitch slippers, 1st, 1.00; Mrs Abram Anthony, cross-stitch, slippers, 2d, 50c; Mrs Isaac Chase, infant's shirts, 1st, 75c; Mrs Isaac Chase, silk purse, 1st, 75c; Mrs Wm Allen, silk purse, 2d, 37c; Miss Rose Peckham, picture in worsted, 2d, 75c; Mrs John L Harrington, rag carpet, 1st, 3.00; Mrs L M Cory, rag carpet, 2d, 1.50; J Haining, rag rug, 1st, 1.00; Mrs L M Cory, rag rug, 2d, 50c; Mrs S E Dennis, yarn rug, 1st, 1.00; Miss Emeline Almy, yarn rug, 2d, 50c; Mrs Edward Bates, braided rug, 1st, 1.00; Mrs A P Ward, braided rug, 2d, 50c; Mrs L M Cory, quilted woolen spread, 1st, 2.00; Mrs Edward Bates, quilted cotton spread, 1st, 2.00; Mrs Abner Weaver, quilted cotton spread, 2d, 1.00; Mrs E P Sisson, crochet bed-spread, 1st, 2.00; Mrs Wm H Thurston, knit bed-spread, 1st, 2.00; Mrs G Thomas, silk bed-spread, 1st, 2.00; Jennie Potter, silk bed-spread, 2d, 1.00; Miss Mary Carlson, woolen stockings, 1st, 75c; Mrs Abraham Anthony, woolen stockings, 2d, 50c; Mrs Geo Gratrix, cotton stockings, 1st, 75c; Phebe Peckham, cotton stockings, 2d, 50c; Mrs E P Sisson, yarn mittens, 1st, 50c; Mrs L E Sisson, yarn mittens, 2d, 25c; Jennie Davol, specimen braid work, 1st, 1.00; Miss R N Spooner, specimen braid work, 2d, 50c; Mrs J W Gifford, suit hand-made clothing, 2d, 1.00; Etna Barker, suit, machine-made, 1st, 2.00; Miss M Caswell, suit, machine-made, 2d 1.00; Miss M Caswell, dress, machine-made, 1st, 1.50; Esther T Smith, sofa pillow, cross-stitch, 1st, 1.00; Emma B. Hazard, sofa pillow, cross-stitch, 2d, 50c; Miss Annie Easton, sofa pillow emb., 1st, 2.00; Mrs Abram A Brown, infant's basket, 2d, 50c; Miss Carrie Chase, specimen drawn work, 1st, 1.00; Mrs Henry M Wilson, specimen drawn work, 2d, 50c; Miss I G Chase, chair cover, cross-stitch, 1st, 2.00; Mrs Wm G Cozzens, embroidered pillow shams, 2d, 75c; Mrs Seth Hammett, Java wool canvas tidy, 1st, 1.00; Mrs F A Hubbard, Java wool canvas tidy, 2d, 50c; Miss R N Spooner, Java canvas cotton tidy, 1st, 75c; Mrs. J W Gifford, Java canvas cotton tidy, 2d, 37c; Miss Nannie S Corey, infant's dress, embroidered, 1st, 1.50; Mrs T G Rogers, hand-wrought lace, 1st, 3.00; Miss S Peckham, hand-wrought lace, 2d, 1.50; Miss R Taggart, hand-wrought lace 75c; Miss Elma D Barker, specimen darned lace, 1st 1.00; Mrs Henry M Wilson, specimen darned lace, 2d, 50c; Mrs J W Gifford, specimen point lace, 2d, 1.00; Miss R N Spooner, handkerchief box, 2d, 50c; Fannie P Dennis, embroidered thermometer, pretty; Miss I G Chase, outline on pongee, 1st, 1.00; Miss H G Cozzens, woven picture, 1st, 1.50; H T Waite, woven picture, 2d, 75c; Mrs Dr Benjamin Green, head-rest, 1st, 75c; Mary A Hazard, decorated panel, 2d, 1.00; Mrs George Gratrix, foot-rest, 2d, 75c; Mrs F A Hubbard, large afghan, 1st, 3.00; Mrs James H Taylor, large afghan, 2d, 1.50; others worthy of mention; Miss R N Spooner, crochet skirt (ladies), 1st 1.00; Carrie C Chase, emb. table linen, 2d, 1.50; Miss Amelia D Peckham, worsted shawl, 1st, 1.50; Miss Julia A Peckham, worsted shawl, 2d, 75c; Miss L S Pearson, mantle drapery, 1st, 2 00; H T Waite, mantle drapery, (macrame) 2d, 1.00; H T Waite, bracket drapery, 1st, 75c; E E Smith, specimen macrame, 1st, 1.50; Mrs J B Hambly, specimen macrame, 2d, 75c; Miss R N Spooner, twine work, 1st, 1.00; Miss S Ellen Dawley, twine work, 2d, 50c; Mrs Robert S Chase, outline work on woolen, 1st, 1.00; Lena M C Gardner, outline work on woolen, 2d, 50c; Lena M C Gardner, Table Scarf, 2d, 1.00; E E Smith, wool Kelu, 1st, 75c; Mrs P A Coggeshall, emb. flannel skirt, 2d, 75c; Mary A Hazard, crazy patchwork, 1st, 1.00; Mrs Wm G Cozzens, emb. mats, 1st, 1.50; Mrs Abraham Anthony, toilet set, 1st, 1.00; R N Spooner, toilet set, 2d, 50c; Miss Julia A Peckham, specimen of outline work, 1st, 1.00; Miss Annie S Easton, specimen of outline work, 2d, 50c; Mrs A Todd, infant's knit afghan, 2d, 75c; Miss R N Spooner, crochet tidy, 1st, 75c; Mrs Seth B Hammett, crochet tidy, 2d, 37c; Mrs John Ireys, table mats, 1st, 75c; Miss R N Spooner, table mats, 2d, 37c; Mrs H M Wheeler, lamp mats (flowers), 1st, 37c; Miss Jane Littlefield, lamp mats (flowers) 2d, 25c; Miss Fannie T Chase, lamp mats, 1st, 1.00; Mrs N B Smith, lamp mats, 2d, 50c; E E Smith, silk mittens, 1st, 75c; Mrs E P Sisson, silk mittens, 2d, 37c; Mrs A Hamilton Chase, silk stockings, 1st, 1.50; Mrs J B Hambly, table spread, 1st, 3.00; Jennie Potter, table spread, 2d, 1.50; Lena Gardner, 3d, 75c; Fannie T Chase, specimen of tatting, 1st, 1.00; E E Smith, specimen of tatting, 2d, 75c; Miss I G Chase, specimen south kensington, 1st, 2.00; Mrs F A Hubbard, specimen south kensington, 2d, 1.00; Lena M C Gardner, silk embroidery, 1st, 1.50; Fannie P Dennis, do. 2d, 75c; Mrs Elijah Anthony, kid or leather work, 1st, 1.50; Miss Fannie T Chase, paper work, 1st, 50c; Fannie P Dennis, burlap mats, 1st, 1.00; Miss R N Spooner, burlap mats, 2d, 50c; Mrs Isaac Chase, decorated panel, 2d, 1.00.

George H. Kingman, for several years managing clerk at the Perry House, has resigned his position. It is understood that he and Mr. M. F. Keane, late assistant steward at the Ocean House, propose running a hotel on their own hook somewhere in Connecticut. Both the gentlemen are well known to the traveling public, and, we believe, deserve success.

The Walsh Bros. will move to their new and elegant store, corner Thames and Frank streets, on Monday next. They propose to put in a large stock of housefurnishing goods. The Walsh Bros. are enterprising men, and know how to keep a store such as the public like to patronize.

CITY BRIEFS.

Jottings of Newport and Newporters.

Judge Brady, of New York, has been in town this week.

The Ocean House closed its doors for the season of 1884 on Wednesday.

Capt. Selfridge is to leave the Torpedo Station November 1st.

The memorial to Rev. Charles T. Brooks was yesterday unveiled at the Channing church.

The Blaine & Logan regiment was out for drill Wednesday evening, and made a fine showing.

The announcement is made of the engagement of Col. Hest to Miss Tooker, sister of Gabriel Mead Tooker.

Ensign Taylor of the New Hampshire has been ordered to the Naval Observatory at Washington.

Captain Gabrielson has been detached from the Cutter Dexter and placed on waiting orders.

Mr. and Mrs. Goddard of Providence have been in town this week, the guests of Mrs. Henry Ledyard.

J. Neilson Howard & Co. have rented the Seymour cottage on Kay street to Mrs. O. F. Bates for the winter.

Surgeon John C. Wise has been ordered to the U. S. Training Ship Jamestown in place of Surgeon B. S. Mackie, detached.

Miss Charlotte M. Wayland, of this city, will act the part of Priscilla Sefton in "Storm Beaten" at the Opera House Monday night.

J. D. Johnston of this city has taken the contract to repaint the steeple of Channing Memorial church with Portland cement.

To-day being the first of the Jewish year 5645, A. M., New Year services will be held at the Touro Synagogue to-day and to-morrow, Rev. A. P. Mendes officiating.

Gen. H. A. Perry, Chief Quartermaster Division of the Atlantic, was at Fort Adams Wednesday on business connected with the erection of new quarters for the light battery.

Steamer Grand Republic arrived here Saturday afternoon with 2300 excursionists from New Haven. They left about 7:15 in the evening after a visit of about three hours.

Commodore J E Jouett, U. S. N., will assume command of the North Atlantic Squadron to-day, relieving Commodore S. B. Luce.

The old Potter house on Taylor's Point, Conanicut Island, was totally destroyed by fire Saturday night. As the building was unoccupied it was undoubtedly the work of an incendiary.

Daniel Watson has sold for D. L. Cummings of this city, 10,000 square feet of land on Linden street, near the Ferry, on Conanicut Island, to F. D. Wetherell of Philadelphia, for $1050.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Marchant of East Weymouth, Mass. Miss Sarah Lawton of Willimantic, Conn., and Rev. John Carry, D. D., of Port Perry, Ont., Canada, are in town the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Carry.

E. J. O'Conner of Boston has been appointed manager in this city of the Bankers & Merchants Telegraph Company in place of B. C. Chace who resigned to accept a like position with the Baltimore & Ohio Company.

Mr. Pardon Tucker has sold through Mr. Daniel Watson, about 31 acres of land situated about two miles south of Narragansett Pier in South Kingston, to Mr. Edmund W. Davis and Miss Eva K. Davis of Providence for $20,698 62.

Officer Geo. A. Wilcox has returned from a ten-days' visit to his parents in Ohio, and is again at his post of duty. Mr. Wilcox had not seen his parents before in many years and aside from the pain of again parting with them, thoroughly enjoyed the visit.

In answer to numerous inquiries we would say, No, Frederick W. Sprague does not edit the independent columns of the *Daily News*. It is generally understood that the fertile brains of Col. S. R. Honey, Charles Acton Ives, Esquire, and Rev. C. W. Wendte concoct the mental pabulum for these columns.

We are requested to state that persons, who wish to secure scholarship at the R. I. School of design under the provisions of the law passed at the last January Session of the General Assembly should make immediate application to Thomas B. Stockwell, Secretary of the State Board of Education.

One of Gardiner B. Reynolds & Co.'s teams, loaded with wood, broke down on Ruggles avenue Saturday, and the driver, James Leary, being violently thrown to the ground received a fracture to one of his arms and serious bruises about the head and body. He was attended by Dr. Sweet.

The addition being built to the Shiloh Baptist church for a lecture room and parsonage has been covered in and is rapidly nearing completion. Among those who have contributed during the past week to the fund being raised for completing these improvements are Robert Garrett and Ross R. Winans of Baltimore, Prof. Shields of Princeton, and Arthur B. Emmons of Newport.

Washington Commandery.

At the annual election of this commandery Wednesday evening, the following officers were chosen:

Commander—Sir Wm. H. Cotton.
Generalissimo—Sir M. F. Walsh.
Captain General—Sir Wm. J. Cozzens.
Prelate—Sir O. G. Langley.
Senior Warden—Sir Rufus E. Darrah.
Junior Warden—Sir Wm. W. Marvel.
Treasurer—Sir John Gilpin.
Recorder—Sir David Stevens.
Standard Bearer—Sir C. W. Corbet.
Sword Bearer—Sir William Carry.
Warder—Sir Frank L. Powell.

Opera House.

The celebrated play of "Storm Beaten will be performed in the Opera House on Monday and Tuesday of next week. The papers speak of it in the highest terms. It is a play full of thrilling situations all of which together with the handsome scenery makes it attractive from beginning to end. Miss Charlotte M. Wayland of this city forms one of the caste in the play.

For additional locals see 4th page.

Poetry.

When the Sea gives up its Dead.

BY M. C.

Ah! many years have passed away
Since we parted longago,
On the gliding sands where white shells lay
And the waters smoothly flow.
How you clasped my hand in yours, love,
When the last farewell was said,
And now we'll never meet again
'Till the sea gives up its dead.

Oh! many years have onward rolled
Since your ship sailed proudly out,
Parting atwain your heart and mine
Though I had not then a doubt—
That sunny skies and tranquil seas
Would follow where'er you lead,
But your ship went down and we'll meet no more
'Till the sea gives up its dead

I could not live had I not that hope
To make me brave and strong,
To help me win the battles of life,
And lead me to struggle on.
But what a glorious day t'will be
When all sorrow and sin have fled,
When all sad partings will be o'er
And the sea gives up its dead.

The Four-Leaved Clover.

"What are you seeking, Margaret Fae,
Out in the meadow this summer day?"
"I'm seeking a four leaved clover."
"Clover is growing down at your feet,
Dewy, and pink, and honey sweet—
Clover you'll find it hard to beat,
If you seek the wide world over."

"I do not care for the three leaved plant;
The fairy grass is the thing I want,
The magical four-leaved clover.
'Twill give me a lover rich and fair,
Honor and gold, and all things rare;
And so I search with anxious care,
The meadows over and over."

Then the sun rose high o'er field and town
The sun went west, and the sun went down,
While Margery sought her clover.
The cold, long shadows fell all around,
With faded clover she strewed the ground,
But the fairy four-leaves were not found,
And alas! for Margery always sought
The favor that fortune never brought,
Always the four leaved clover!
Always the lover that would not wed,
Always the path too high to tread,
Till her hopes were dead, and lovers fled,
And beauty and youth were over.

Oh many and many a four-leaved spray
Pride and Folly are seeking to-day;
And there's many a weary rover
That through the meadows of life has been
And never a clover leaf has seen
That was fair enough for her hands to glean;
Now, old and sad, she knows what I mean
By seeking the four-leaved clover.

Maidens be happy, if green and sweet
The three leaved clover grows at your feet;
For the day of youth's soon over.
'Tis hard when the shadows are long and gray,
When old and weary, to have to say:
"Ah! life has been spent in a profitless way
Seeking a four leaved clover!"

Selected Tale.

THE MISER'S INHERITANCE.

Miss Sammis was the only daughter of the old person so inevitably called Old Sammis in his native town, that no one called him by any other name, and until his will was read the fact that he had been christened Octavius Cicero Sammis was actually unknown to many. He was, however, not so old as some who were called only middle aged. It was his manner, his long nose, and sharp chin, the wrinkles in his forehead, and the sparse grayish hair that gave him the reputation of age, and he had none of the vices of young men, even at five-and-twenty. A prudent, saving boy, he had gone on to be a stingy young fellow and a miserly old man. His long, straight brown coat, his shabby stove-pipe hat, his wrinkled boots, and the trousers which, always too long and full, fell over them in many wrinkles, seemed always to be the same, and he had worn one glove for five years, having lost its mate three years after its purchase.

When his poor wife was ill the doctor had ordered wine and beef-tea, but he had remonstrated: "Beef-tea uses up so much meat, and wine is very dear—and a bad habit also, my love. Don't you think you could take a nice little piece of fried pork and some old cider instead?" The poor woman answered that she would "try." But after she had tried a week even Old Sammis said something must be done. He bought the wine and the beef, but before the tea was made she was past swallowing.

Her daughter came home from her uncle's then and cried over what the neighbors told her, but did not say to her father what she intended to say; for in going down stairs to hide, in the cellar, the bottle of wine his wife had left as full as when it came in the house, Old Sammis tripped and fell; the bottle broke and cut his arm, and erysipelas set in, of which he died, and the girl who had washed dishes in her uncle's kitchen to save her keep, found herself worth half a million.

She was a small, thin girl; she stooped a good deal, and her nose and chin nearly met; but she was neat and prim, and as soon as the power was hers she furnished the old house decently and hired a servant. She might have cut a dash and become a fashionable woman, but the thought did not occur to her. She felt happy when she thought of the money that belonged to her, and she could not bear to part with much of it. She was not even able to bring herself to the point of buying a black silk dress for her aunt, who needed one sadly.

Two or three hundred dollars would have filled a trunk over which those poor little shabby cousins would have danced with joy; but she could not do it. She could not have denied any one food and medicine, or fire or light, or anything needful under her own roof, as her father had denied her mother, for she was only twenty-one and a woman; but she had the old man's blood in her veins, and the miser's cravings lurked in her soul.—So the interest of her money was slowly added to the principal, and she grew richer slowly but surely.

However she was not yet a miser, and when certain things in the way of table linen were wanted, she went down to the city to buy them, and to make a call or two as well, and was hurrying up Broadway from the ferry, when just as she passed Trinity church a man touched her on the arm, and said: "Beg your pardon, lady, but haven't you lost a twenty-dollar gold piece?" Now Miss Sammis knew well enough that she had no gold whatever with her, but she hesitated before saying no. "I am not sure, I must look," she said, feeling for her portemonnaie.

"I think I seen it drop outen your pocket when you took out your handkerchief," said the man. Satan got the better of Miss Sammis. "Then I must have lost it," she said. "Yes, lady; and it's honest of me to pick it up for you, ain't it, when I might 'a' kept it?" said the young man, holding out the money. "And you hadn't ought to begrudge me a dollar to get a meal's victuals with, had you, jest as a reward for honesty and to encourage me?" whined the young man.

"Well, no, I think I ought to give you something," said the miser's daughter. "I was thinking of a quarter, but," she looked into her purse, and slowly took out a dollar bill, "but there!" she added with a thrill of generosity. "There!"

The young man seized the money, said "Thank you," and vanished around the corner; and Miss Sammis, with the joy of one who had drawn a prize in the lottery, hurried to the shop where she intended to purchase her table linen, made her selections, and offered the twenty dollar gold piece. The cash-boy carried it away in a basket, and in five minutes more a request that she would "step into the office" was made by a suave floor walker, and she found herself under arrest on a charge of having tried to pass counterfeit coin. "But I'm Miss Sammis, of Honeytown," she explained amidst sobs. "I'm rich. It is impossible to suspect me."

"If you could remember where you got the money," said the policeman, as he put her into a cab, "it would be better for you. We are looking out for these very gold pieces, and women are getting rid of them, and that makes it bad, you see." And so they drove away from the little crowd that had gathered about the carriage, and Miss Sammis soon found herself in the presence of a justice of the peace. The shopkeeper made his charge, but she had collected her senses. She gave her address, the name of her pastor, of her lawyer—influential persons in Honeytown. "It is mortifying to be charged with this thing," she said, "but you will soon find that I am not connected with a band of counterfeiters. I inherited half a million of money a short time ago.—My father was Octavius Cicero Sammis.

Money commands civility as a general thing. Every one becomes immensely polite. The lawyer was telegraphed for, and came in a tremendous state of excitement. He questioned his client as to her possession of the money, and her vague answers led to believe that she was desirous to shield some one from suspicion. "The truth must be told, my dear young lady," he said. "We will put you on your oath. Your good heart makes you desire to protect an unworthy person, but for your own sake we must put you on oath. And so the thin lips of Miss Sammis kissed the Bible, and the question was asked:

"Where did you get this gold piece?" "From a man on the street." "What was the man's name?" "I do not know." "Why did he give it to you?" "He asked me if I had lost it." "And you said?" "At first I did not know; then, perhaps; and I gave him a reward for finding it. He asked for it." "Had you dropped it?" "No." "How did you know?" "I brought no gold with me." "It is a very common trick, and generally succeeds," said the judge to the lawyer. "It is clear that Miss Sammis did not know the money was counterfeit."

The lawyer took the lady home. On the way they scarcely spoke; but alone in her own room, Miss Sammis, overwhelmed with shame, wept herself ill. She might have felt only indignation at a false arrest, but she knew in her inmost soul that when she falsely claimed that money, she was at heart a thief. She began to think as she had never thought before, and she understood that she had inherited the miser's mania, and that it was growing on her, so that she, a rich woman, had, as she believed, taken from a poor and honest man what did not belong to her. It was true she had been tricked and cheated, but that did not alter the facts. Then she prayed for help, and grew strong. She did not alter her plain way of living, but she entertained her friends and gave to the poor. She saw to the education of her little cousins, and sent many a kind gift to her aunt, and she helped her pastor in his work. Kindly feeling grew in her heart, and her face softened, and she grew agreeable in appearance and attractive in manner.

And, finally, the most softening influence in the world filled her heart. She loved a good man, who loved her tenderly. Together they live among their children in old Honeytown, and are known as the most kindly of its people. No worthy charity but has been aided by them. No good object but they are ready to further. The miser's daughter has conquered her hereditary vice—one so nearly allied to dishonesty that the miser is always ready to become a thief, and generally is one, and the angels smiled over her victory.

Starving at Sea.

THE CAPTAIN TELLS OF SOME EXPERIENCES NOT RELATED IN NAUTICAL NOVELS — GOING HUNGRY WITH LUXURIES IN THE LOCKERS.

The old man sat on the taffrail of his barge placidly puffing his after-supper pipe. It wasn't a pretty pipe; it was short and black and its scoly tin cap had broken away from its chain and was suspended from the end of the stem by a piece of wire. But it was a comfortable looking pipe and home-like and the old man, seated with one leg over the other and one elbow resting on his knee, to support the hand, of which several fingers held the bowl of the pipe, looked very contented as he allowed little morsels of smoke to glide from between his lips. He was a good looking old man and salty in appearance; his face was brown and hard looking and under his chin grew a crisp iron-gray beard.—His hands were brown, too, and as full of seams as an alligator skin, and although his frigate was only a coal barge, his nautical aspect would have done honor to the quarter deck of an East Indiaman.

By the side of the old man sat a little boy in Knickerbocker trousers and brown stockings, and he was waiting impatiently for the captain to start up a story, but this the latter, apparently, was not disposed to do. "You see," he explained to the reporter, "I ain't got no stories to tell the boy.—He's ben amusing himself about this packet most all the afternoon, but he don't seem to take to a ship that hasn't any masts nor rigging;" and the old man took the pipe from his mouth and asked the boy to fetch him a straw from a broom that rested against the housing. The boy brought the straw and the old man remarked as he run it through the pipe stem to clear it, "I haven't had many experiences with relating, nothing to amuse the boy with, though I s'pose I could tell him yarns enough if I wanted to. No, sir; I hev never ben shipwrecked. I've sailed in most every kind o' craft that floats, too, and am only reeling off my old age in this green-water packet. I've followed the sea, man and boy, for more than twenty-five years, and I've never lost a ship nor ben in one that was lost," and the old man looked up emptingly to watch the effect of this statement on the listener. After a trial suck at his pipe, he resumed his smoke and his contemplation. The little boy had seated himself again and waited.

"But, I tell you what, I have suffered some from starvation. Yes, sir, starvation; and that, too, with the hold full of provisions of one kind and another. How was that? Well, it's somethin' that most every sailor man has gone through with. You see, you never kin tell when you leave a port how many days you're goin' to be gone. Godfries! I've made v'yages that lasted two or three times as long as was expected; and the trouble is the grub gives out, and thar you be, out in the middle of the ocean, maybe, and nothin' to eat. You can't load a ship with two or three times the amount o' grub you think she needs, because she wants her space for cargo; you allow somethin' for delays, but many's the ship's crew that has weathered gales and dangers that you read about, and then come nigh to starvin' to death with the grub all gone. Deep water sailors are the most likely to be caught, but the coast schooners get delayed sometimes and run short. Thar was Captain Davis' schooner, the Wm. P. Hood, that came into this very port last spring, nigh on to forty days from Bal'more: they had a bad pull of it to keep from going down, but when they got help they were more in danger of starvin' to death." The old man drew a few last puffs from the black pipe, then poked the ashes down hard in its bowl and stowed it away in the lining of his hat.

"I once made a v'yage from Smyrna to Boston with a cargo of figs and raisons. We had bad weather the hull time—head winds when 'twas fair and hurricanes when she blew. I was a hundred and three days making that v'yage. We was blown 'way to the south'ard, and finally had to put into St. Thomas. Yes, that was a good way out of our course. We run out of grub and for a month had nothin' to eat but a piece of hard bread every day and them figs and raisons. We'd a starved to death without 'em; but we came pretty near it as 'twas. Godfries! but we was weak when we dropped our mud hooks in St. Thomas. The doctors fed us on this 'ere lead and opium for more'n a week while we lay there. I've made that same run in thirty-four days, so you can see how fur we was out."

"Well, sometimes a ship gets short and, driftin' about, some other ship picks her up and helps her—just as the "Hood" was helped. I was helped once after we had ben living a week on a cargo of bananas; bananas is worse than figs an' raisons for reg'lar diet, maybe. I remember they had to get an extra gang of men to handle that cargo when we got in port; my crew couldn't bear the thought of bananas."

"It's been my luck; I've kept clear of shipwrecks, but starvin' hez made an old man of me. I've starved with fancy grub in the hold and I've starved with coal and pig iron for cargo. No, there's no trouble about water, generally not; you can ketch the rain. I picked up a salt schooner that was short, and they had been living three days on salt and a half a hard-bread a day. They said they made salt cakes, baked 'em or somethin', and they'd eat a piece and then drink lots of water and chew the bit o' hard-bread. They said that the salt cakes went first-rate, but I mind they seemed pully glad to get some findon haddies and a lot of hard-bread that we had to spare. I wouldn't say nothin' about that story though. I alius kindor thought the salt cakes was a yarn."

"But I'll tell you what did happen once," and the old man shifted his legs and slid along to a cool spot on the taffrail. The little boy in the Knickerbockers moved along to keep close to the old man, and the latter resumed scratching his head for facts and dates. "'Twas along in '70, and I was first mate on a trader, and we had been picking up cargoes down in Rio and Montivideo and thereabouts. We hung round Montivideo in the fall and couldn't get a cargo, and so after a good deal of waiting we took a little general stuff and went out in ballast. The old man had decided that he would go 'round to the other side and see if business wasn't better, and he didn't like to go without a cargo; but he had to and off we went. I'll never forget how it rained the two days we was shoveling the sand in. We thought it nasty weather, but was glad of it afterward. We slid along first-rate for a time. We was bark-rigged and run our ten knots on a bowline with no trouble. Well, not to talk too long, we was sixty-one days in getting around from fifty to fifty an' then we struck a calm, in what the sailing directions called the 'roaring forties'—and thar we wuz. We went from half rations to quarter rations, and was getting ready to come to no rations at all. We hadn't sighted a sail since clearing, and we lay becalmed nigh on 'o a week. When at last we got a wind from the sou'east, we p'inted for land close hauled and without no hope of ever gettin' thar alive.

"Things couldn't a ben blacker.—We was weak, and were out of water as well as grub. That didn't make so much difference, 'cause there wuz some champagne and stuff aboard, and we sipped that with hard grog, that helped to weaken us to my mind, an' one day we made a discovery. Now, don't be impatien'. The bo'sun he took a lantern one day, and went down below to take a look through the hold and see if thar wasn't somethin' that had been missed. The cap'n he went with him. The fact was, we had laid in a lot of bags of potatoes for a long voyage, and they had been hung on top of the sand, as the store-room was full of grub, and a lot of the old man's private stuff.

"The murphys had been used up two months before, but the old man had a hope that some of 'em might a ben overlooked and scattered about in the sand. Well, sir, by Godfries, the first thing we knowed up rushes the cap'en, and he sings out to us, and we helps him yank off the main hatches, and he pointed down on the sand pile, and thar opened to the eyes of us starvin' critters was as pretty a patch o' potatoes as you ever want to see—all a-growin', and as green as could be. Godfries! how we did yell. The loose potatoes from them bags and the spillings had rooted in that thar damp sand, and thar they was a-thrivin'!"

The little boy in the Knickerbockers got up and looked thoughtfully down the open hatches of the barge into the coal pockets; and as the reporter moved off the old man held him by the arm and said, "and, sir, we lived like kings on potatoes and champagne 'til we got help, three days after, from a three masted schooner bound to Boston."

It is a singular fact that we are indebted to Pompeii for the great industry of canned fruits. Years ago, when the excavations were just beginning, a party of Americans found, in what had been the pantry of a house, many jars of preserved figs. One was opened, and they were fresh and good. Investigation showed that the figs had been put into jars in a heated state, an aperture left for the steam to escape, and then sealed with wax. The hint was taken, and the next year fruit canning was introduced in the United States, the process being identical with that in vogue at Pompeii twenty centuries ago. The ladies in America who can make tomatoes and peaches for domestic use do not realize that they are indebted for this art, to a people who were literally ashes but a few years after Christ. There is nothing new under the sun. Canned tomatoes and loaded dice—the people of Pompeii had both.

"Colonel Wilson is a fine-looking man, ain't he?" said a friend of ours the other day. "Yes," replied another, "I was taken for him once."—"You! why you're as ugly as sin!" "I don't care for that; I endorsed his note, and was taken for him—by the sheriff."

Farmers gather what they sow, while seamstresses sew what they gather.

An Amateur Lawyer.

A Yankee named Mather, who had been for twelve years in an insurance office, was in Cincinnati, out of work, and living on ten cents a day. He had a room with a certain Mrs. Sterne, and as his bill there was assuming respectable proportions, and he had no immediate prospects of being able to liquidate, he decided to "skip by the light of the moon." That very day his landlady inquired, "Aren't you a lawyer, Mr. Mather?" Quick as thought he responded, "Yes."—"Well," said Mrs. Sterne, "I want to get your advice. My husband has left me and wants to get hold of the policy of insurance on his life, which I have. Can he do so and sell it back to the company?" Mr. Mather examined the policy, and, feeling doubtful on one point, told her he would advise her the following morning.

He repaired at once to the law office of a friend, and in an off-hand way gained the information he desired, and the following day gave his final decision to Mrs. Sterne. He had then accumulated a few dollars and asked his landlady the amount of his bill. "Why you are not going are you? I hoped you would board out your bill against me for your advice." "That's so, we lawyers can't advise for nothing. But I must go to-day. How much is your bill?" "Twelve dollars," said she. "Well, you're a hard working little woman, and if you'll give me $8 I'll call our account square, though I would charge anybody else $50.

Mrs. Sterne handed over the money with many expressions of appreciation, and her guest departed—not penniless and owing for his lodgings, but free of debt, and having $8 in his pocket. The best part of the story is that the money thus obtained gave him a start, from which he quickly rose to a position of affluence, and almost his first act after becoming established in business yielding an income of $50,000 a year, was to hunt up Mrs. Sterne and send her a check for $10,000, with the story that I have here told. Of course the names given are not the real ones, but this sharp Yankee is now a prominent business man in a large New England city; and the story I have related I heard from his own lips.

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JUNE 16, 1884

Leaves Commercial Wharf, Newport, four times daily, (Sundays at 11.10 P. M.) as follows:

7.00 A. M.—Connecting at Wickford with trains for New York and Providence; also Kingston, Westerly, Stonington, New London, Hartford, and New Haven. Arrive in New York at 4:48 P. M. Also due in Providence at 9:10 A. M.

***11.50 A. M.**—For New York by Newport Shore Line Express, with Drawing Room Cars from Wickford Landing, stopping at Kingston, Westerly, Stonington, New London, Saybrook, New Haven, Bridgeport, Norwalk and Stamford. Due in New York at 6.40 P. M. Also due in Providence at 1.40 P. M., and Boston at 3.00 P. M.

5.00 P. M.—For Providence and Boston by 1.00 P. M. Shore Line Express from New York, arriving in Providence at 7.00 P. M., and Boston at 8.35 P. M.; also by Steamboat Train to Kingston, Westerly & Stonington.

11.10 P. M.—For New York (Sundays included) by Night Express with Sleeping Car attached, due in New York at 6.38 A. M. Also for Kingston, Westerly, Stonington, New London, New Haven and Stamford.

RETURNING,

Connects with Trains leaving New York via. New Haven R. R. as follows:

8.00 A. M.—For Newport, Boston Express, arriving in Newport at 2.25 P. M.

***1.00 P. M.**—For Newport, Newport Shore Line Express, with Drawing Room Cars, arriving at Newport at 7.35 P. M.

5.30 P. M.—From Providence for Newport (Wickford Special) arrive at Wickford 6.30 P. M., and Newport at 7.35 P. M.

10.00 P. M.—For Newport, Night Mail (Sundays included) with Sleeping Cars attached, arriving at Newport at 6.00 A. M. Connecting with all the principal stations along the line.

Connection from Newport for Providence daily as follows: 7:00 and 11:50 A. M., 5:00 and 11.10 P. M., and from Providence for Newport at 12.00 Midnight, 7.40 A. M., 12 25 and 5.30 P. M.

*Express Trains to and from New York will not stop at Belleville or Wickford.

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THEO. WARREN, Superintendent.

FOR CONANICUT ISLAND.

Jamestown and Newport Steam Ferry Time Table.

ON AND AFTER TUESDAY, July 1st, 1884, and until further notice, the steamer JAMESTOWN, Capt. P. H. Amburst will run as follows:

Leave Jamestown 6.15, 8.15, 9.45, 11.00 A. M., 1.30, 3.15 and 6.00 P. M.
Leave Newport, 7, 9, 10.15, 12,00 A. M.; 2.45, 4.40, 6 45* P. M.
Or on arrival of Providence boat.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Jamestown 9.30, 12.15, A. M., 5 P. M.
Leave Newport 10.15 12.45, A. M., 5.45 P. M.

Old Colony Railroad

ON and after Monday, June 23, 1884, trains leave **Newport** for **Boston** as follows: 7.45 10 20, A. M., 2.55, 4.30 P. M. RETURN, 8.30, 11.40 A. M., 3.35, 4 45, *6.00 P. M. Trains from Boston are due in Newport at 10.55 A. M., 2 20, 5.55, 7.42 P. M. For **Coal Mines,** 7.20, 10 20 A. M., 2.55 P. M. RETURN, 8.59, 10.37 A. M., 2.01, 5 51, †7.54 P. M. **Bristol Ferry,** 7.20, 10.20 A. M., 2.55, 4.30 P. M. RETURN, 8 54, 10.33 A. M., 1.56, 5.47, †7.43 P. M. **Tiverton,** 7.20, 7.45, 10 20 A. M., 2 55, 4 30 P. M. RETURN, 8 49, 10.28, A. M., 1.50, 5 33, 5 42, †7.33 P. M. **Fall River,** 7 20, 7.45, 10 20 A. M., 2.55 4.30 P. M. RETURN, 8.38, 10.19 A. M., 1.40, 5.24, 5 30, 7 11, †7.16 P. M. **Taunton,** 7.20, 7 45, 10.20 A. M. 2.55, 4 30 P. M. RETURN, (Central Station) 7.43, 9.24 A. M., 1 00, 6.05, *7.00 P. M.; (Dean street), 4.41 P. M. **Middleboro,** 7.45, 10.20 A. M., 2.55, 4.30 P. M. RETURN, 6 55, 9.39 A. M., 3.35, 6.00 P. M. **Cape Cod,** 7.45 A. M., 2.55 P. M. **Plymouth,** 2.55 P. M. **New Bedford** 7.45, 10.20 A. M., 2 55, 4 30 P. M. RETURN, 7.25, 10.55 A. M., 2 50, 6 25 P. M. **Providence,** 7.45, 10.20 A. M., 4.30 P. M. RETURN, 7.35 A. M., 12.40, 4.15 P. M. **Fitchburg,** and stations on Northern Division, 7.45, 10.20 A. M., 2.55 P. M. **Lowell,** 2.55 P. M. **Oak Bluffs,** 7 45, 10.20 A. M., 2.55 P. M. **Nantucket,** 10.20 A. M.

*Boat from Fall River.
†Mixed train from Fall River.

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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS.

NEWPORT, Sc.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Newport, June 27, A. D. 1884.

BY VIRTUE, and in pursuance of an execution issued out of the Supreme Court of this State, within and for the County of Newport, on the 25th day of June, A. D., 1884, and returnable to the September term of said Court, A. D., 1884, upon a judgment rendered by said Court on the 19th day of March, A. D. 1884, in favor of George W. Swinburne, Henry S. Peckham, and Job A. Peckham, Junior, all of Newport, in said county of Newport, copartners as Swinburne, Peckham & Company, plaintiffs, and against Charles J. Seymour of the same Newport, defendant, I have this day at 30 minutes past nine o'clock, A. M., levied the said execution on all the right, title and interest, which the said defendant, Charles J. Seymour, had on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1883, at 30 minutes past three o'clock, P. M., (the time of the attachment on the original writ in this suit), in and to a certain lot, or parcel of land containing about 22,000 square feet, more or less, with all the buildings and improvements thereupon, and the appurtenances thereof, situated in the city of Newport, in said county of Newport, in the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, and bounded

NORTHERLY on land formerly of Caroline M. Seymour;
EASTERLY on Kay street;
SOUTHERLY on land of Philip H. Case; and
WESTERLY on land formerly of Felix Peckham, deceased;

AND

NOTICE is hereby given that I will sell the said attached estate at a public auction to be held at the Sheriff's office, in the State House in said city of Newport, on MONDAY, the 6th day of October, A. D. 1884, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the satisfaction of said execution, debt, interest on the same, costs of suit, my own fees and all contingent expenses, if sufficient.

WM. D. LAKE, Deputy Sheriff.

9-13-4w

Court of Probate, City of Newport, September 8th, 1884.

ON THE PETITION in writing of Ann E. Case, Guardian of the person and estate of John H. Case, of full age, of Newport, presented this day, praying that she may be authorized to sell at private sale for better investment, an undivided fifth part of a certain lot or parcel of land with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situate in said Newport, belonging to said ward, bounded and described as follows, viz Westerly on Washington street, fifty-three feet; Northerly on Marsh street, ninety-nine feet; Easterly on land of Ann E. Case, fifty-two feet, six inches; and Southerly on land of George B Hazard ninety-nine feet.

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 29th day of Sept., 1884, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Newport Mercury*, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

ALEX. N. BARKER, Probate Clerk.

9 13

Court of Probate, City of Newport, September 8th, 1883.

ON THE PETITION, in writing, of Francis M. Breese, presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

LUCY M BREESE,

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, allowed and recorded and that letters testamentary may be issued to the said Francis M. Breese, the Executor named therein.

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 29th day of Sept., 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Newport Mercury*, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

ALEX. N. BARKER, Probate Clerk.

9 13

Court of Probate, City of Newport, September 8th, 1884.

ABRAHAM INGHAM, Administrator on the estate of

GEORGE INGHAM,

late of Newport, absent and unheard of, presents his first and final account with the estate of said George, and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 29th day of September, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Probate Office, in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Newport Mercury*, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

ALEX. N. BARKER, Probate Clerk.

9-13

Executor's Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate, of Newport, executor of the last will and testament of MARY FITZGERALD, late of Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having demands to present them, and all indebted to make payment to him.

9-13 JOSEPH KELLY, Executor.

Administrator's Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, administrator with Will annexed on the estate of MARY GALLAGHER, late of Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having demands to present them, and all indebted to make payment to him.

SIMON P. TIERNAN, Administrator, with Will annexed.

9.13

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned gives notice that he has been appointed Administrator of the estate of JOHN S. MANCHESTER, late of Tiverton, deceased, intestate, and has qualified for the trust by giving bonds as required by law. All persons owing to the estate are requested to make immediate payment.

ANDREW L. ESTES.

Tiverton, Sept. 8th, 1884. 9-13.3w

Guardian's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having been duly appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of the city of Newport, guardian of the person and estate of JOHN F. CURLEY, of full age, of Newport, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to him.

JOHN CURLEY, Guardian.

Newport, R. I., August 23, 1884. 8-23

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No other complaints are so insidious in their attack as those affecting the throat and lungs: none so trifled with by the majority of sufferers. The ordinary cough or cold, resulting perhaps from a trifling or unconscious exposure, is often but the beginning of a fatal sickness. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL has well proven its efficacy in a forty years' fight with throat and lung diseases, and should be taken in all cases without delay.

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"In 1857 I took a severe cold, which affected my lungs. I had a terrible cough, and passed night after night without sleep. The doctors gave me up. I tried AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, which relieved my lungs, induced sleep, and afforded me the rest necessary for the recovery of my strength. By the continued use of the PECTORAL a permanent cure was effected. I am now 62 years old, hale and hearty, and am satisfied your CHERRY PECTORAL saved me.

HORACE FAIRBROTHER."

Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

Croup.—A Mother's Tribute.

"While in the country last winter my little boy, three years old, was taken ill with croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, a bottle of which was always kept in the house. This was tried in small and frequent doses, and to our delight in less than half an hour the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the CHERRY PECTORAL had saved my darling's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude? Sincerely yours,

MRS. EMMA GEDNEY."

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A. J. CRANE."

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Byhalia, Miss., April 5, 1882.

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Yes, but between its distant abutments the bridge of life has many high and awful arches, through which the wild waters dash and roar in rage and desolation. Prayer and worship alone do not sustain these. Nature's solid rocks must lie unshaken beneath, and human art and skill must rear and solidify the structure overhead. God's will is best exemplified in the laws He has made for the creatures whom He has placed under their control. Neither the child's trustful "Our Father," nor the old man's "Forget me not in the midst of my infirmities," will alter this by the weight of a a single grain.

Science and art first—then faith and prayer—is the order of Heaven itself. Divinity heals through its agents, and those agents are the discoveries of man; not the vague announcements of prophets or seers. Is life a burden to you? Does time drag? Is your power to cope with life's problem and duties weakened? You are not well. Your blood is sluggish and tainted, perhaps; or some important organ is torpid or overworked. This fact may have taken the form of dyspepsia, rheumatism, gout, malaria, pains in the stomach, chronic headache, or any of a dozen ills. PARKER'S TONIC will invigorate you, as fresh air invigorates those who have been shut up in damp, fetid cells. It is powerful, pure, delicious, scientific, safe—the keystone of the central arch of the bridge of life.

S. S. Department.

Lesson XII.—September 21.

A SONG OF PRAISE.

SCRIPTURE LESSON.—PSALM 103: 1—22.

GOLDEN TEXT.—Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits.—Ps. 103: 2.

TOPICS—A call to praise,
Reasons for praising God.
Who should praise him.

TIME, B. C. 1015.

Topical Treatment.

Connecting Link.— This psalm was probably composed by David not many years before his death. Nothing is known as to the time or circumstances of its composition. It may have been written for use in the religious services in the tabernacle. "This beautiful psalm is the outpouring of a full heart in thanksgiving to Jehovah for his grace and compassion, both as unexperienced by the Psalmist in his own life and also as manifested to his nation in its history. It celebrates especially God's mercy in the forgiveness of sin, and that tender pity, as of a human father, wherewith he remembers the frailty and stoops to the weakness of his children. It is a hymn of which the text and motto are to be found in that revelation of himself which God gave to Moses when he proclaimed himself as 'Jehovah tenderly compassionate and gracious, long suffering, and abundant in goodness and truth. Ex.—34: 6."

I. A call to praise. We are very apt to forget the favors we have received, and it is well to sometimes summon all our powers to the business of recollecting, of calling distinctly to mind, all the benefits for which we are indebted to our friends, and in an especial manner ought we to remember the great obligations due to our Heavenly Father, the given of every good thing we have to enjoy. Just this the Psalmist does in the opening verses of this psalm. He calls upon his soul and all the powers within him to engage in the ennobling service, His mind, heart, will, affections, conscience and whatever faculties he may possess are summoned to activity in rendering to Jehovah the tribute of praise which is due to him. No less ought we to give honor and glory to our maker for the manifold benefits bestowed upon us, and that we may do it in a manner befitting the dignity and importance of the matter, it is wise in us to make it a specific work of devotion, entering upon it deliberately and thoughtfully, and pursuing it steadfastly, until we have a full and clear conception of God's goodness to us, and our hearts are aglow with gratitude to him.

II. Reasons for praising God. These are neither few nor insignificant. The forgiveness of sin is the first and chief thing; it is a marvelous manifestation of the ever abounding mercy of God that this privilege has been opened to us and for this David first called upon his soul to give thanks to God, and for the healing grace which he gives to all who seek it; for that great goodness, by which his life has been crowned with loving-kindness and tender mercy. In all his dealings with men and with nations, God is full of mercy, executing righteousness, never rewarding them according to their eniquities, but exercising continually a fatherly pity towards them that fear him. Nor is this gracious kindness for a brief time only; it extends from generation to generation to all them that are obedient unto him, that keep his covenant and remember his commandments to do them.

III. Who should praise him? All created intelligences, angels excelling in strength, ministers of his holy will; heavenly hosts, doing his pleasure; all the works of his hands; human beings created by his power and redeemed by his grace, and every dumb, inaminate works of nature, all these, each in its own way, after its own fashion, according to its own power, should bless the Lord for his grace and glory, his wisdom and power, his goodness and mercy manifested to the children of men and the nations of the earth.

THOUGHTS AND APPLICATIONS.

I. A forgiving God is worthy of praise from all his creatures.

II. God's forgiveness is without limit or mental reservation.

III. God's mercies are for all them that fear him and keep his commandments.

TOPICS FOR FURTHER STUDY.

I. The duty and the privilege of praising God.

II. Keeping covenant.

"File this bill," yelled the proprietor to the new employe. With a hungry jump, the boy grabbed the document and began a rapid search in all corners of the room.

"What are you looking for?" asked the boss, curiously watching the clerk's movements.

"Lookin' for the file, sir," smiled the youth. You'll hafter sorter post me about whar you keep them tools, and sorter gimme a few p'ints in regard to the kind of an edge you want flung into these things."

I heard some one ask through the telephone yesterday why a mother Hubbard dress was like a torch-light procession without music. The answer was so faint that I am not sure I got it, but I thought he said "because it needs a band."

Nothing will surprise a married man more than for him to go home and discover his wife limping around the house with her little toe bandaged, and to have her say, in a half reproving way, that she don't see why he need keep such an awful sharp edge on his razor.

TO MY FRIENDS.

As you are well aware that I would not recommend that which I did not believe to be good, I desire to say to all who need a good, reliable, family medicine, that I believe one bottle of Sulphur Bitters will do you more good than any other remedy I ever saw.—REV. CEPHAS SOULE.

For the Children.

A Four-Penny Turkey.

He was a bouncing big turkey; and they had hung him by the heels, so that his nose almost touched the walk just outside the butcher's shop. A little girl was standing there watching it. You could see that she was a hungry little girl; and, worse than that, she was cold too, for her shawl had to do for hood and almost everything else. No one was looking, so she put out a red hand, and gave the turkey a push; and he swung back and forth, almost making the great iron hook creak, he was so heavy.

"What a splendid big turkey!" S.T.8

The poor little girl turned round, and there was another little girl looking at the turkey too. She was out walking with her dolls, and had on a cloak with real fur all around the edges; and she had a real muff, white with little black spots all over it.

"Good morning, Miss," said the butcher-man. You see he knew the little girl with the muff perfectly well.

"That's a big turkey, Mr. Martin."

"Yes," said the poor little girl, timidly: "he's the biggest I ever saw in my life. He must be splendid to eat."

"Pooh!" said the little girl with the muff," he isn't any bigger than the one my papa brought home for Christmas.

"Could I have a leg, if I came for it tomorrow?" asked the poor little girl softly.

"What, haven't you a whole turkey?"

"Never had one in my life," said the poor little girl.

"Then you shall have this one," said the little lady with the muff. "Mr. Martin, I've got some money in my savings bank at home; and my papa said I could do just as I wanted to with it, and I'm going to buy the turkey for this little girl."

The poor little girl's eyes grew so very large you would'nt have known them.

"I shall love you always, so much, so very, very much; and I'll go for Foxy to help. Foxy is my brother, and I know we can carry him."

I hav'nt room to tell you all about it but the poor little girl got her turkey, and papa his bill.

"What's this," said he,—"another turkey, eighteen pounds, $2.60?"

"That's all right," said the little girl who had the muff. "I bought him, and gave him to a poor little girl who never ate one; and the money is in my iron bank."

The bank was opened, and there were just four big pennies in it.—*New York Weekly Tribune.*

Chirp and Hop.

Chirp and Hop lived in the same field. Chirp was a cricket. Hop was a big grasshopper. They were cousins. Some people thought they looked alike.

"You will never be as pretty as I am," said Chirp to Hop.

"Why not?" asked Hop.

"Because you will never be so black and shiny," said Chirp.

"Well," said Hop, "you will never be so lovely and green as I am."

Then they shook feet to show they were good friends. Crickets and grasshoppers can not shake hands, for they have no hands.

"Cousin Chirp," said Hop one day, "let us go on a journey together."

"Where shall we go?" asked Chirp.

"To the hay-field, to see old Brindle."

"Very well, Hop. I hear she has fine clover in her field," said Chirp.

So they started. In a minute, Chirp cried, "Oh, dear! How fast you go?"

Hop looked cross. He called out, "Well, can't you hurry up?"

"No, no," cried Chirp; "my legs are not so long as yours. Please go slow."

"I will not," said Hop. "John will soon come to let down the bars ann take Brindle home."

"It is very early, dear Hop," said poor Chirp. "John will not come until night. Please wait."

But Hop was almost out of sight Chirp could hardly hear his cross "No." Chirp jumped along as fast as he could, but he got to the field long after Hop got there.

He looked through a hole, but could not see his cousin.

In a minute, Brindle came to the fence. She liked Chirp, because he always sang such a happy song.

"Whom are you looking for, my dear?" said Brindle.

"For my cousin Hop. Do you know where he is, dear Brindle?"

"Yes, indeed," said Brindle. She shook her head sadly.

"He hopped over my fence just as Jacko, the rooster, came along."

"Oh, my! oh, my!" said Chirp.

"He could not get out of the rooster's way," said Brindle. "He had come across the fields so fast he was out of breath."

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear!" was all Chirp could say.

"Yes," said Brindle, "he could not get out of the way, so Jocko gobbled him up."

"I guess he wishes he had waited for me," said Chirp.

"It never pays to be unkind," said Brindle. "Come in and have some clover, my dear."—*Our Little Ones.*

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Five years ago I broke down with kidney and liver complaint and rheumatism.

Since then I have been unable to be about at all. My liver became hard like wood; my limbs were puffed up and filled with water.

All the best physicians agreed that nothing could cure me. I resolved to try Hop Bitters; I have used seven bottles; the hardness has all gone from my liver, the swelling from my limbs, and it has *worked a miracle* in my case; otherwise I would now have been in my grave. J. W. MOREY, Buffalo, Oct. 1, 1881.

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"I was dragged down with debt, poverty and suffering for years, caused by a sick family and large bills for doctoring.

I was completely discouraged, until one year ago, by the advice of my pastor, I commenced using Hop Bitters, and in one month we were all well, and none of us have seen a sick day since, and I want to say to all poor men, you can keep your families well a year with Hop Bitters for less than one doctor's visit will cost. I know it."

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The Newport Mercury.

JOHN P. SANBORN, Editor and Proprietor.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1884.

Gen. Butler is to make two speeches a day from now until election.

Since four years ago the Republicans of Maine have gained over 20,000. That will do very well for one state.

Our minister to France, Mr. Levi P. Morton, is coming home, and rumor says that he is to be appointed to the vacant secretaryship of the Treasury.

It is said that the Hon. Jonathan Chase will decline to accept the vacant senatorship. If he does he will probably be the first man in the state who ever declined that honor.

The addresses at the Aquidneck fair this year were more interesting than usual and were listened to very attentively by the large audience.

The Republican state and district conventions will be held in Providence on Thursday October 9th. Supporters of the Blaine and Logan are the only persons desired at the primary meetings.

Gov. Van Zandt's comparison of farming in this country with that of Central New York, where the season is so short that the farmers seldom save more than one crop in three or four, was very interesting.

A gentleman who spent last Friday with Mr. Blaine said that, from the advices that gentleman had received, he was confident that not only Ohio, but West Virginia, would give a Republican majority in October.

Reports which come from West Virginia are very encouraging for the Republican prospects. Bourbonism will surely be routed. Prominent gentlemen from that state say that the Republican ticket is sure of at least 15,000 majority.

At a recent meeting of the New England Suburban Press Association a canvass was made of its members to ascertain the political feelings of those present. Sixty were for Blaine, four for Cleveland and four were non-committal. About one-half were ladies, and not one of them was for Cleveland.

To say "Mulligan letters" to an independent is like shaking a red rag at a mad bull. But what makes them the maddest just now is that nobody pays any attention to the latest batch which they have produced. In fact they themselves are compelled to admit that they have helped Mr. Blaine's case rather than injured it.

The new Mulligan letters, so called, published by the Democratic press, have fallen flat, doing no harm to the Republican party and in fact to nobody except to those who have circulated them. Mr. Blaine when told of their publication said that he hoped every person in the land would read them and not form their opinions of them by garble reports in the partisan press.

Mr. Blaine has been given the most cordial reception in Boston, Worcester, New York and every place through which he has passed on his trip west. No man was ever more popular with the people than the Republican nominee for the Presidency. The more certain people abuse a man the more the people c. . No man in this country has . . . been more unjustly abused than Mr. Blaine.

The President has offered Postmaster General Gresham his choice between the treasury portfolio, made vacant by the death of Secretary Folger, and the seat on the circuit bench, from which Judge Drummond has recently retired. Judge Gresham decided in favor of the latter position, and the appointment will be made at once, so that the judge may begin his duties with the October term in Illinois. It is said he will be succeeded by Frank Hatton.

The New York *World*, which is acting more like an organ of the Independents than like a Democratic organ, published a pretended interview from Ex-Secretary of State, Hamilton Fish, which made him out an anti-Blaine man and a great supporter of Cleveland. Secretary Fish the next day wrote a scathing letter denying the sentiments advanced, and stating that he has no thoughts of leaving the Republican party or voting for anybody except Blaine and Logan. Perhaps the *World* will give us another interview at an early date.

New York is now regarded by both Republicans and Democrats as sure to cast its vote for Blaine and Logan. The Albany Express makes a detailed statement of the estimated pluralities for Cleveland and Blaine in the several counties of the State. It allows Cleveland 4000 in New York, 8000 in Kings and Brooklyn, 1500 in Albany. Blaine is given 8000 in St. Lawrence, 6000 in Monroe and Rochester and 6000 in Erie (Buffalo.) Blaine's plurality is estimated at 40,000. A leading Democrat, who votes for Cleveland under protest, declares this is rather under the mark than over.

Mrs. J. Ellen Foster of Iowa, one of the most efficient workers in the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union believes that the friends of prohibition will soonest accomplish their work by withholding party effort and giving themselves wholly to the regular lines of temperance work. Officially she keeps herself free from partisanship, but personally she does not smother her convictions. In a letter from Buffalo she says: Either James G. Blaine or Grover Cleveland will be President of the United States, and between them I do not see how any Christian voter can hesitate. Writing as I do from this city of Buffalo, where Cleveland's home is—no, where he lives—he has no home—I do not hesitate to say, as for me and mine, let it be the true husband, the honest father, the home man—James G. Blaine.

Proved His Statement at the Cost of His Life.

A Philadelphia despatch says—After an hour's argument with a young lady as to the feasibility of Bill Sykes hanging himself accidentally in the way described by Dickens in "Oliver Twist," J. H. Barry, a wealthy society man, demonstrated the correctness of his theory by hanging himself over his room door Wednesday night. Young Barry was found dead, with a noose about his neck, by his father, at his residence in Roxborough, a suburb of Philadelphia. During the fatal discussion which occured with his betrothed, Miss Hang, she insisted that it was impossible for a man to put a noose about his waist, lower himself by the rope from a height, and have the noose accidentally slip from his body to his neck and strangle him, as Bill Sykes is said to have done. Mr. Barry said, "Well, I'll show you some time that it is perfectly feasible." He went to his room at once, taking with him an inch rope. When his father went up-stairs some time after, his son's body met his gaze, hanging from his room door. One end of the rope had been made fast to the knob on the inside. The rope had then been passed over the top of the door, made fast about Harry's body, the noose resting under one arm and over the other shoulder. He had then dropped from the top of the door, and it is supposed his weight pressed the rope under his shoulder more sharply than he could bear, causing him to throw up the arm, and so allow the noose to slip up and around the neck, where it was found. He was quite dead when he was discovered, and his neck was broken.

The Senatorial Succession.

Under the above heading the Warren *Gazette* contains the following sensible remarks. We heartily coincide with them: One gratifying feature of the agitation is the apparently unanimous conclusion that the office is too large for a small man to fill, and judging from present indications a large crop of small politicians with nothing but money or "influence" to recommend them, will be speedily disposed of. The people of Rhode Island demand and will have a man of character and brains to represent them in the Senate. Senator Anthony's peer will not be found, but it behooves the state to fill the vacancy, by the choice of one of its ablest citizens, whose qualifications must necessarily fall short of those of the honored statesman, who satisfactorily represented his state in the Senate for the longest term, with one exception, of any member of Congress. The Hon Jonathan Chase seems to be generally accepted as the most available candidate for the office, and without doubt can have the place if he will accept it. Should he decline the office the Hon. Wm. P. Sheffield is conspicuously prominent as the next in order upon whom the senatorial mantle should fall. Mr. Sheffield has done veteran service to the State, both in the legislature and in Congress and he more than any other citizen represents those distinctive political principles for which Senator Anthony labored and which he successfully maintained. Mr. Sheffield will not attempt to beg or buy the office and neither will he enter into intrigue to obtain it but we believe would accept its unsought proffer. Rhode Island would be honored in the election of the Hon. William P. Sheffield to the U. S. Senate.

Political Clippings.

The latest advices from North Carolina are highly encouraging. The Republicans have more than a fighting chance of carrying the State.

Mr. Dana sums it up in one sentence: "We think Cleveland is beaten."

"After eight years Mr. Mulligan now gives to the public fifteen more letters of Mr. Blaine, as a duty to his fellow countrymen"—observes the *Herald*. Rather a long delay about obeying a call of "duty." Perhaps Mr. Mulligan thought some one would "see him," before this.—*Mail and Express.*

The *World* will not be quoted any more as the chronicle of alleged interviews with Republicans turning Democrats. Its one Fish story was enough to give it the reputation for the campaign.

The only animated and interesting Democratic politics that we know of, this campaign, are to be seen within the main tent of the travelling Butler show. There is plenty of interest wherever Butler speaks, and his campaign yields a large current dividend of fun for its originator.—*Ex.*

Carl Schurz has gone to Indiana. His stay in Wisconsin was brief and not glorious. It began with the suppression of free speech and with unfair play, at his first meeting in Milwaukee. His conduct, and that of his friends on this occasion, was so inexcusable and contemptible that the large and exceedingly intelligent German-American element in Wisconsin soon found out that the Carl Schurz they once followed and honored has degenerated into a political Hessian, whose services were attainable by the highest bidder.

J. E. Johnson of South Boston, 24 years of age, a brakeman on the Old Colony railroad was killed Wednesday, being struck by a bridge north of the Quincy station and thrown between two cars. The entire train passed over him, and his body was terribly mangled.

Six young girls, struggling in the lake at Brown's Mills, N. J., Friday, were rescued, after heroic exertions, by Rev. Robert Burke, a Catholic priest of Mount Holly, and E. A. Fairchild, a young Philadelphia merchant.

It is a poor rule that won't work both ways. A Canadian bank accountant has undertaken to reduce the balance of trade in absconders in favor of the Dominion by running away to the United States.

A son of King Kalakaua, of the Hawaiin Islands, died at Naples, Italy, the 17th inst, of cholera. He, with several other young men from that country, was sent by the government to Italy to be educated. The son of William S. Wilcox, now in our city, was one of them.

A clerical looking gentleman tried to swindle Uncle Sam the other day by going into Treasurer Wyman's office in Washington and stating that he was instructed to make restitution of $1600 out of which a deceased parishoner of his, a distiller, had defrauded the government. He handed Mr. Wyman two $1000 bills which he handed to a messenger, instructing him to bring the change. Soon the messenger returned and whispered something in Mr. Wyman's ear, which caused that gentleman to leap from his chair and rush into the cash room. An examination of the bills showed them to be finely executed counterfeit notes. Mr. Wyman rushed back to his office, from which he had been absent but a minute or two, only to find that the swindler had fled. The buildings and the grounds were hastily searched, but he could not be found, nor has he been heard from since.

Rev. L. F. McKinney of Manchester, who has been nominated by the democrats for Representative to Congress in the First District, is a Universalist, and was born in Kickidg county, Ohio, April 25 1841, and was graduated from the St. Lawrence University, Canton, N. Y., in 1870. He was in the war as Sergeant in the First Ohio Cavalry. He has been located at Manchester ten years.

THE ACCIDENT TO THE EOLUS,

The Discomforture to which some of her Passengers were Unnecessarily Put.

When about midway between Wickford and the north end of Conanicut Island, on her last trip to Newport Monday evening, steamer Eolus broke the cross-head to her piston and was obliged to anchor. A boat was immediately sent back to Wickford from which place telegrams, explaining the situation, were sent to Superintendent Warren in this city, who secured the services of the training Squadron's tug Cohassett, but, as she was being over-hauled, much of her machinery was disconnected and considerable time was required in getting her in working order. In the mean time the steam launch belonging to the Schoolship New Hampshire was sent out to notify the impatient passengers of the disabled steamer that aid was forthcoming, etc. The launch started on her errand about 9 o'clock, but, running aground on Gould Island, did not reach the vessel until after midnight. She delivered her message and then received on board some fifteen or sixteen of the passengers who were anxious to reach Newport as soon as possible. When she left the steamer's side it was noticed that she took her course due north, instead of east, which if continued would take her away from Newport instead of towards, it but the Cohassett arriving a short time after, this incident was forgotten. The tug hooked on to the steamer and before two o'clock had her underway for Newport, but owing to adverse tides did not reach her destination till half past five.

At this time nothing had been heard here of the steam launch or her passengers, and considerable anxiety was felt as to her whereabouts. But recalling the fact of her taking a northerly course from the steamer many concluded that it had been done through the ignorance of those in charge and that she was probably somewhere up the river, and this conclusion proved correct as she arrived here between seven and eight o'clock after having been out all night, her passengers heartily regretting the impatience which led them to abandon the Eolus against the advice of Captain Wightman.

After arranging for getting his disabled vessel towed into Newport, Superintendent Warren communicated with Superintendent Hallett of the Continental line and secured the services of steamer City of Newport to make the Eolus' 11:10 Monday night-trip to Wickford and her 5 o'clock trip back Tuesday morning, after which it was arranged that the Bay Queen of the Continental line should take the place of the Eolus during the time necessary for her repairs.

SUPREME COURT.

September Term.

The September term of the Supreme court opened at the State House Monday morning, Justices Durfee and Matteson presiding.

The cases of the Diamond Mill Paper Co. vs. Douglass G. McCotter; Douglass G. McCotter vs, Richmond B. Negus, Hamilton M. Ball vs. Richmond B. Negus, settled.

In the case of Barker Bros. vs, Charles J. Seymour, the defendant submits to judgment in $177.15 and costs.

The indictment pending against Uriah Rife was *nol pros'd.*

Edward O'Connor and Thomas Dale were admitted to citizenship.

Nellie E. Buncher vs. James A. Buncher for divorce, granted.

The grand jury came in Wednesday morning and reported having found indictments against the following persons: Charles T. Dwyer, for assaulting Officer Flynn; D. J. Endwright, William Hunter and Joseph Coyne, for burglary from the boarding house of Mary Jones on Bath road; Robert Weston (colored), for larceny from Richard J. Walsh; John Gorman, for assaulting Enos Hayward; Benjamin Marsh, Jr. for embezzlement; and Delia Sarris for an assault on Manuel Jacobs with vitriol.

On being arraigned Dwyer pleaded guilty and was sentenced to five weeks in the Providence county jail; Rowright, Hamilton and Coyne did likewise and got eighteen months each in State Prison. Weston also pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six months in the Providence county jail. Gorman had skipped his bail and could not be found. Marsh pleaded *nolo contendere* and was sentenced to the Providence jail for 11 months. Delia Sarris pleaded guilty and was sent to the Newport jail for six months.

Cleveland and Hendrick's Battalion.

The Wetmore Cleveland and Hendrick's Battalion has adopted its uniform and the members of the various companies are now being fitted. Mr. C. H. Colt, one of the staff officers, thinks a company in sailor uniform would be an addition to the battalion and offers to bear the expense of the equipment of one if it be formed. The battalion uniform is a white coat and white leggins with red belt and brass helmet, and the staff uniform consists of a white blouse with red facings and standing collar.

The following gentlemen compose Major W. B. Wetmore's mounted staff:—Colonel Samuel R. Honey, C. H. Holt, John Whipple S. Howland Robbins, Charles M. Oelrichs, N. J. DeBlois, William R. Travers, Jr., Travis G. Van Buren, Russell Forsyth, H. Ray Miller, E. A. Crocker, William H. Bridgham, Woodbury Kane, J. Nelson Howard, M. O. Wilson, M. A. Wilkes, Martin Van Buren, H. F. Eldridge, E. Warren, Carroll Bryce, Gouverneur Kortright, William Cothout, William R. Hunter, F. H. Potter A. Lee Willing, Amos T. French and J. N. A. Griswold.

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Flour

Available carbonic acid gas 12.61 per cent, equivalent to 118.2 cubic inches of gas per oz. of Powder.

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Bicarbonate of Soda
Carbonate of Ammonia
Tartaric Acid
Starch

Available carbonic acid gas 12.40 per cent, equivalent to 116.2 cubic inches of gas per oz. of Powder.

Ammonia gas 0.43 per cent, equivalent to 10.4 cubic inches per oz. of Powder.

Note—The Tartaric Acid was doubtless introduced as free acid, but subsequently combined with ammonia, and exists in the Powder as a Tartrate of Ammonia.

E. G. LOVE, Ph. D.

NEW YORK, JAN'Y 17TH, 1881.

The above analyses indicate a preference for "Cleveland's Superior Baking Powder," and our opinion is that it is the better preparation.—[Hall's Journal of Health.

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I can safely recommend Ely's Cream Balm for the cure of Catarrh, Cold in the Head, etc. Before I have used the first bottle I purchased I find myself cured. At times I could hardly smell anything and had a headache most of the time.—HENRY LILLY, Agent for the American Express Co., Grand Haven, Mich. (Price 50c.)

St. Louis has missed all the conversations, and now retaliates by getting up a dog show

Last Winter I found positive relief from Catarrh with Ely's Cream Balm. Was troubled for years. I have no doubt a thorough use of Cream Balm Will cure a great majority of cases.—E. D. NORTON, Ithaca, N. Y. (See ad.)

"Always pay as you go," said an old pedagogue to his nephew. But uncle, suppose I haven't anything to pay with?" Then don't go."

N. Y. Board of Health on Wine.

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20 SAT.	5 28	5 51	4 37	8 03	8 23
21 SUN.	5 29	5 49	5 26	8 45	9 06
22 MON.	5 30	5 47	6 58	9 29	9 51
23 TUES.	5 31	5 45	7 33	10 14	10 37
24 WED.	5 32	5 43	8 03	11 00	11 23
25 THURS.	5 33	5 41	8 49	11 46	11 46
26 FRI.	5 34	5 39	9 32	08	30

Full Moon, 5th day, 8h. 54m. morning.
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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

From all Parts of the World.

Selecting a Candidate after Many Ballots.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 17.—The new Democratic Convention to nominate a candidate in the 11d Congressional District of Maryland assembled at Towsontown to-day. On the ninth ballot Dr. Frank T. Shaw, of Carroll County, was nominated to succeed J. Frederick C. Talbot. The first convention had 1,353 ballots at Elkton, and ten days later fifty-five ballots in this city, without making a nomination, and a new convention was ordered by the State Democratic Committee. The same delegates were elected except in Cecil. Dr. Shaw received the nomination four years ago and declined, when Mr. Talbot was renominated.

Seriously Wounded by a Tramp.

DETROIT, Sept. 17.—Mayor Samuel Robinson, of Charlotte, was shot last night by a tramp at his home, and is now in a critical condition. The tramp was caught at a window late at night and ordered away, whereupon he fired twice, one ball going through Mr. Robinson's breast. The tramp was arrested and gave the name of John Morris, of Detroit.

Fruitless Balloting of Democrats.

SCRANTON, Penn., Sept. 17.—The Democratic Conference of the XIth Congressional District was resumed at Pittston to-day. One hundred and fifty additional ballots were taken without choice, and an adjournment was had to next Wednesday.

Who is the "father" of the United States Senate, is just now a question under discussion. The Cincinnati *Commercial Gazette* claims that since the death of Senator Anthony, the honor belongs to Senator John Sherman of Ohio. Mr. Sherman has seen more years of service as Senator than any other of the present members, but his term of *consecutive* service is exceeded in length by that of Senator George F. Edmunds, and also by that of Senator Justin S. Morrill, both of Vermont. Mr. Sherman first entered the Senate in 1861, as the successor of Salmon P. Chase, and served continuously for sixteen years, or until March, 1877, when he entered the cabinet of President Hayes, as Secretary of the Treasury; he remained in the latter position until March, 1881, and then returned to the Senate. The total length of his Senatorial service, therefore, up to the present time, is nineteen years and six months, which is longer than any other of the present members has served. Mr. Edmunds first entered the Senate in April, 1866, and has served continuously up to the present time, making the length of his term eighteen years and five months, or two years and five months longer than Senator Sherman's consecutive service, and only thirteen months less than the latter's total service as Senator. Mr. Morrill first entered the Senate in March, 1867, and has remained there ever since, that is, a period of seventeen years and six months.

James Gorden Bennett has a greater number of houses awaiting his occupation than any other American. He has one in Fifth Avenue and another in Fort Washington, and then his rooms at the Herald establishment are a snug place for a bachelor. His Newport villa is always in readiness, and he has also a fine establishment in Paris.

Mr. Watterson, in the performance of his pledge to keep the country in mind of the one great issue of the campaign, declares in The Courier Journal that "Democratic success means a radical revision of the tariff, or it has no meaning at all."

Mathematics work unpleasant results sometimes. Here is the town of Noyales, for instance, which supposed itself to be in the United States, but which the international boundary surveyors have put into Mexico. The inhabitants are indignant, but the surveying party, at last accounts, was safe.

The New York Sun continues to observe that "there is no chance of Grover Cleveland's election to the Presidency. He cannot carry New York. He will be beaten in this State by a majority of not less than fifty thousand, in spite of every exertion that may be made between now and election day."

Miscellaneous.

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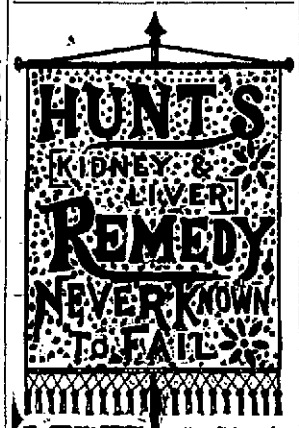

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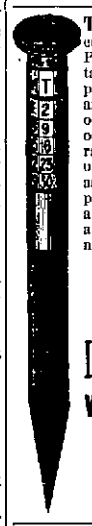

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Fancy Porto Rico, 55c. per gallon.
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Very Best Haxall, Excelsior Brand, $7.25 per barrel.
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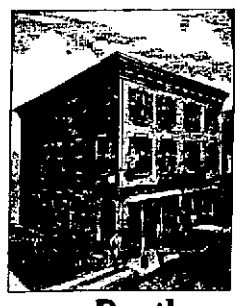

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A Few More Sheep.

Comparatively few farms are well-stocked with sheep, and a vast number of farms do not support a single head. To be sure the price of wool has fallen in the last few years, but not altogether out of proportion with other commodities. Wool growing may not be as profitable now as it was for a few years after the war, but the mutton market is excellent. There are several reasons why farmers, and especially those upon light soils, should keep sheep. No other animal requires so little care, or returns so much for the little feed consumed. No other stock is so easy on the land or so beneficial in subduing rough soils. I have seen many a partially run out field brought into good condition by pasturing with sheep for a few years. The cost of stabling sheep is slight, as they need only shelter from storms, such as good sheds and straw covered pens will afford. They will get along with very little hay if they have a straw stack to run to, and are given a moderate feed of grain through the Winter. The wool is a source of revenue at a time when the farmer is most in need of money for Summer expenses. And wool can be held for higher prices without loss from storing. The old rule of letting out sheep to double every five years would indicate the large profits of the business. No other stock seems to increase so fast, with so little demand upon the resources of the farm. To make sheep the most profitable, the lambs should be dropped in late winter or early spring, so as to command the fancy prices of "spring lamb," or to be of good size to turn off in the fall. Better sell a lamb for $3.00 than to keep it two years for $6. Keep enough of the ewes to replace those that are getting too old to be profitable. A sheep begins to decline in productive value after its fifth or sixth year.—[Corres. "Our Country Home,"

Farm Workshops

As a matter of economy, says that best of farming journals, "Our Country Home," every farmer should have a workshop or work room where he can make and, He needs but a few good tools and a disposition to use them. Many a nickle can be saved in the course of a year by mending the implements which are in almost daily use and which are most likely to break at an inopportune time, just when he is in the greatest hurry. Then, without shop and tools, he must spend half a day, more or less, in running to a carpenter's or a blacksmith's for repairs. It is well to have "extras," such as rake teeth, axe helves, scythe snaths and so on.

As an educator for the boys, the workshop is a good thing. There are many days which a young man can and will spend with pleasure and profit in such a place, and by practice he can become skillful in the use of tools, and save money to the farm. It will also relieve the monotony of farm life for the boys.

It is unnecessary to occupy a whole building for a shop. We saw one recently, located just over the carriage room, and well-equipped with benches and tools. There should be space enough to take in a 16-foot board, and plenty of closets and shelves for smaller tools. A stove will be needed in winter,

Bringing In House Plants.

Our Country Home" says: If house plants have been left on the veranda during Summer, quite likely insects may have established a foothold on some of them. Before you take them into the house,—and many of the tenderer kinds should not be left out later than September 15—look them over carefully. See that no scale bug or green fly goes in with them, if you can avoid it. For the scale-bug the best thing is to wash the plant thoroughly with soapsuds, rubbing stalk and leaf with a cloth or soft brush to remove the pest. Do the work thoroughly. Go over every leaf and twig. Hard-wooded plants—which are most infested—like the oleander, lemon, and cape jessamine, can be "scoured" with a tooth-brush most effectually, as it takes considerable force to dislodge the bug. After giving the plant a good washing, syringe with clean water.

To get rid of the green fly, fumigate the plant. You can do this best by putting it under a barrel or dry-goods box, or in a small, close room. In such a room you can probably give all you have a smoke-bath at one time. Put some live coals in ashes in a large kettle, and sprinkle over them enough coarse, dampened tobacco to make a dense, heavy smoke. Anything less than that will be of little use. Let the plants remain in the smoke for two or three hours. Then remove, shaking them to dislodge all insects, and syringe them with clean water. There may be but few insects on them and you may think it hardly worth while to take the trouble, but it pays to do so. The green fly increases with great rapidity, and if you allow a few to go into the house they will soon cover all of the plants. Prevention is better than cure. In the house you cannot manage the pest without constant care and trouble.

The Handy Housewife.

A handsome little bag for fancy work may be made with little expense. A piece of brocaded silk taken from an old parasol or chair covering, a piece of plain silk or a patchwork of silk pieces are all available; or one-half may be of one color or brocade and half plain. The usual size requires a piece of material twenty by twenty-four inches, but larger or smaller ones may be made. Sew the silk up to form a bag but before doing so line with silk or satteen of some pretty, delicate tint or of pure white. After the bag is made put a running ribbon about the opening an inch and a half from the top. A piece of black silk used for this purpose may be ornamented by a rib' on embroidery of sunflowers. To make a sunflower, buy two yards of yellow gros grain ribbon, three-quarters of an inch wide and make twelve runnings or points of it for petals, the form being oval, and all of them starting from a circle an inch in diameter. The circle is then filled up with brown arasene or a bit of brown velvet. The stem is worked in green silk or crewels, and is slightly bent. Poppies, dasies and other flowers may also be worked in ribbon with fine effect.

Very pretty little worsted shoes for babies are made out of blue and white split zephyr with a fine bone needle, as follows: Take the white, make a chain of thirty stitches, join into a circle. On to this crochet six rows of long-stitch, made by putting the wool over the needle once then the needle into a chain, catching another loop of wool then out, leaving three loops on the needle. Put the wool over, draw through 2 loops, then over again and draw through 2 more loops, thus leaving 1 on the needle. When the six rows are finished break off and join the blue to the chain-stitch at the beginning end. The blue should be joined 8 chains from the seam part where each row ends. Make 12 loops for the Afghan stitch, and crochet 9 rows out to form the toe. On the 10th row narrow by taking up 2 stitches at each end instead of 1. On the 12th row narrow again, and the next row break off and join the white. Then crochet about the tab of blue, also the bottom part of the leg in continuous rows. The stitch is the "loop stitch," made by putting the needle in, drawing the wool through to form 2 loops. After making four rows begin to narrow at the toe by splitting one hole in the centre on each row. Make 5 more rows, narrowing each time, then turn the sock inside out and crochet the ends together. The top of the leg is ornamented with two rows of scallops, and a ribbon or cord and balls ornament the ankle. The cord can be made by taking one double of the blue and a single strand of the white and crocheting into a chain stitch.

Recipes for the Table.

PEACH CAKE.—Bake three sheets of sponge cake as for jelly cake; cut nice ripe peaches in thin slices; prepare cream by whipping, sweetening and adding flavor of vanilla, if desired; put layers of peaches between the sheets of cake; pour cream over each layer and over the top. To be eaten soon after it is prepared.

FEATHER CAKE.—One egg, one cup of sugar, one cup of sweet milk, one-third of a cup of butter, two cups of flour, two heaping teaspoons of baking powder.

DELICIOUS CAKE.—Two cups white sugar, one cup butter, one cup sweet milk, three eggs, half teaspoon soda, scant teaspoon cream tartar, three cups flour.

APPLE CUSTARD.—Peel, core and quarter sour apples, stew with very little water till quite soft; sweeten and flavor. Put the fruit into a glass dish; when quite cold pour some thick custard over, garnish with strips of lemon rind and serve with sponge cake.

POTATO SOUP.—Grate six medium-sized potatoes, cover them with boiling water and let them simmer slowly until done, then add one quart of rich milk, two tablespoons of butter; salt and pepper to suit the taste. Serve as soon as the milk comes to a boil. If too thick add more milk.

TOMATO SOUP.—Place one can or half a dozen raw tomatoes over the fire and boil for fifteen minutes, then add a small pinch of saleratus or soda; when the foaming ceases skim well and strain through a collander and add one quart of milk, two tablespoons of butter, salt and pepper to taste. Return to the fire and serve as soon as it comes to a boil.

POTATO SALAD.—Chop or slice six medium sized cold boiled potatoes with one large onion and two hard-boiled eggs. A few sprigs of parsely, lettuce or green onion tops may also be added, chopped fine; add five tablespoons of vinegar, one tablespoon of French mustard; salt and pepper to taste. A hard-boiled egg cut in thin slices or a few sprigs of parsely, laid around the edge of the salad bowl adds to its appearance.

TO MAKE GOOD BREAD.—Take one peck of flour, put it in a pan sufficiently large to mix and knead in, then take one pennyworth of German yeast, one-half ounce of common table salt, and stir both into three pints of luke-warm water; let it stand in a warm place until it rises and then falls. It is now ready for use. Add three pints more of luke-warm water to this liquor, then mix your dough and knead well, lay a clean cloth over it and let it stand an hour, then make it up into loaves and bake in a good brisk oven. You can, if preferred, use half a teacupful of brewer's yeast instead of the German; but even with bakers the German yeast is more approved of.

TO TEST THE QUALITY OF FLOUR.—If good it will take between three and four quarts of water to mix properly, and a little put on the tongue will also decide. If it has a very heavy and sweetish taste there is a mixture of maize with it; but if a soft, fresh taste, it is pure.

SEED BREAD.—Take a quarter of a pound of lard or good sweet dripping, a quarter of a pound of sugar, and one ounce of carraway seed for every two pounds of dough, thoroughly mix by rubbing these into it and bake as for bread.

CURRANT BREAD.—Take quarter of a pound of lard or fresh dripping, rub well into two pounds of dough with half a pound of currants free from grit or dirt and a quarter of a pound of moist sugar. Make into loaves and bake as above.

Fashion's Fancies.

Turkey red, trimmed with Irish embroidery, is fashionable for children.

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Mull pokes for the country are trimmed with roses and Valenciennes lace when white mull is used, but for the pale blue, pink and poppy red mull are white lilacs, violets or some flowers of contrasting colors.

Even very small girls are given dresses almost covered with lace trimming and accessories, including the full gathered Moliere waistcoat, not to speak of collars, cuffs, wrist ruffles and full flounces of wide lace edgings.

Spanish, Oriental, French, English and Irish laces in old and new designs and stitches are used to excess, not only as trimmings and finishings, but as entire over garments and costumes for ladies, misses and children.

The Carmen hat with stiff brim and square crown moderately high, is worn by young ladies. It is of a light mushroom brown straw, trimmed with fine feather tips and an aigrette of a darker shade. Fine folds of velvet encircle the crown.

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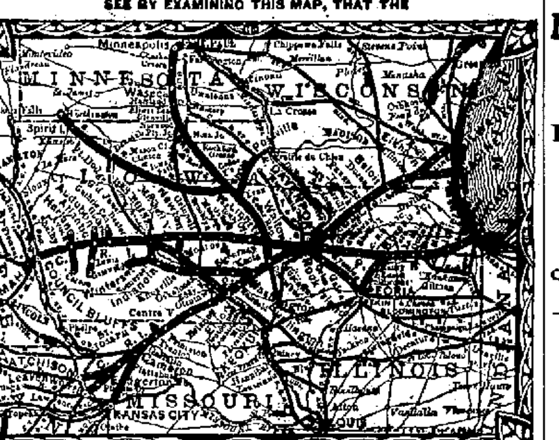

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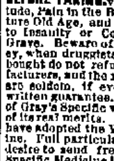

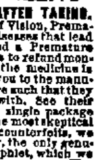

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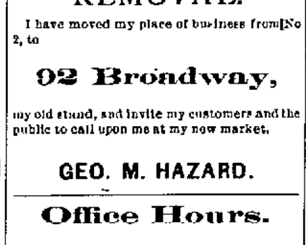

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Did you ever notice how earnestly people gaze into a fire? What do they see there, what thoughts does the fire suggest, that all who gather around it sooner or later find themselves staring vacantly at it, oblivious to all surroundings? What good cheer does it cast over the household to see the unsteady flicker of the flame and watch the dancing shadows on the floor? What is more consoling than to blow out the lamp, or to turn out the gas, and sit by the firelight alone with one's heels perched upon the fender? There's little of that in the city, but I believe there's going to be more of it—not open fire-places, but grates.

"Do you know how we build fires in Vermont? No! Well, our fire places in the country sometimes take up the whole side of the house—a cabin, I mean. On each side is a door big enough to drive a wagon through, and when we want a fire we just open one door, drive in, unload the wagon in the fire place and drive out the other door. One load will last about a day. That's what I call living."

A Good Wife.

The grandest treasure it is possible for man to possess on earth is a good wife. The poorest investment he can ever make is a worthless one. Personal adornment may please the eye of the vulgar, but it will not hide a false heart. Sin may cloak itself for a brief season in the garment of hypocrisy, but sooner or later it shall come to judgment. Pure affection is a priceless jewel, the embodiment of all earthly bliss. In the true union of husband and wife money should not enter into the consideration. The happiest homes the world ever knew have been bought and paid for by mutual earnings after marriage. The good and true wife adorns her home and makes it a little heaven. It is the abode of a royal family, a king and queen dwell within. There are no false gods in such a household.

Pat was a fresh arrival and had obtained a situation in a hotel as a sort of man of all work.

"Now Pat," said the landlord, "you see that sign, 'Gentlemen must use the spittoons.' If you notice any of the guests violating that rule I want you to report to me."

"Oi will, sir."

Pat kept a sharp eye out; after watching a gentleman for half an hour, he went to him and said:

"D'ye moind the sign forninst the wall, sor?"

"Yes."

"Phy don't ye obsarve it, thin?"

"I am not spitting on the carpet," said the gentleman, rather astonished.

"Oi knaw yer not, an' yer not usin' the spettune naythur. Spot, ye thafe, or Oi'll report yez."

Mr. Edward Atkinson has made a calculation showing the cost of a loaf of bread made in the East from wheat raised in the West. According to his figures, one hundred barrels of flour delivered in Boston cost $682.20, and the baker adds $200 worth of labor and $200 worth of yeast, etc, and makes three thousand loaves of bread, which he sells at seven cents apiece, giving him an aggregate return of $2,100, or a clear profit of $1,017.80 on an investment of $1,082.20. The object of the calculation is to convince working people that they can save money by making their own bread instead of buying it, as most of them do, from the bakers.

It is related that once when Chief Justice Waite and Judge Hall, of North Carolina, with other dignitaries of the bench, were down Chesapeake Bay on a government steamer with a party of official excursionists, Judge Hall became very sea-sick. As he was reaching over the side of the vessel and moaning aloud in his agony, the Chief Justice stepped gently to his side, and, laying a soothing hand on his shoulder, said: "My dear Hall, can I do anything for you? Just suggest what you wish." "I wish," said the sea-sick judge, "your honor would overrule this motion."

They were strolling in the green fields and he was telling her of his love.

Just as he was on the point of asking her to marry him, a cow which was concealed by a bush a few feet away, mooed long and loud.

Did the girl faint away, or run away, or scream? No. She gave one little imperceptible start and simply remarked:

"Go away, cow. As you were saying, George—"

A little boy heard his mother tell of eighteen head of cattle being burnt the other night. "Weren't their tails burnt also?" inquired the verdant youth.

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"I lost my first case to a miserable little pettifogging lawyer named Johnny Wood," said Gen. Sharpe at Chicago during the convention to a group of Arthur men, who had lost interest in the proceedings and had gathered in his room for the comfort of being together. "I was a graduate of Harvard Law School, and had a good deal of conceit, besides a perfectly good case. When my senior warned me that I would have to meet Johnny Wood I laughed at him. The suit was before a justice of the peace. We made out our case, and Wood's client, the plaintiff, made out none worth speaking of at all. When Johnny Wood arose to speak he rehearsed the evidence impartially, and then, taking up a book, read the law—such a law as I had never heard of, but which fitted his case to a nicety. When he got through I said:

"Mr. Wood, will you allow me to see that statute, please?"

"Certainly, sir," he replied, handing me the book closed.

"Ah, thank you; but what page is it on?"

"What page?" he cried, indignant. "Don't expect me to coach you, young man. Find your own law —— you. I found mine."

"Of course, I couldn't find it, but Johnny had the laugh and the court with him, and I lost my case, according to law which that scoundrel, Wood, had made up out of his own head just as he spun it out."

A Way of Escape.

Farmer John.—"Mary, the new hired man, you know, is a German. Well, he says he is personally acquainted with Dr. Koch, the great scientist, and did him such a favor that he knows Dr. Koch will reciprocate."

Mary—"Well, dear, what of it?"

John—"I told him to write to Dr. Koch for some cholera germs."

Mary—"Horrors! John, are you crazy?"

John—"No, dear; but you know Cousin Sue in the city is determined to come here with her nine children for a three months visit. Now either we have got to take her or catch the cholera. Which do you prefer?"

Mary—"Send for the cholera, John."

All of the Symptons.

"Say, Cap., can you give me a small contribution for campaign expenses?" said a tramp, stepping up to a business man. "I am doing a little collecting to help things along."

"Which party are you representative of?" asked the merchant.

"Now which would you suppose, judging from appearances?"

"Well, that is rather a difficult question. From your hungry and hopeless look I might take you for a Greenbacker; from your assumed pious expression and the extent of your cheek I would take you for a Republican; but when I catch the aroma of your breath and note the size and color of your nose I set you down as a Democrat every time."

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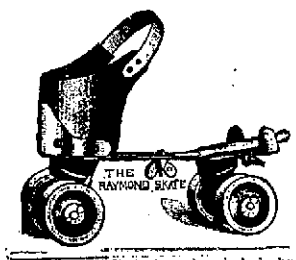

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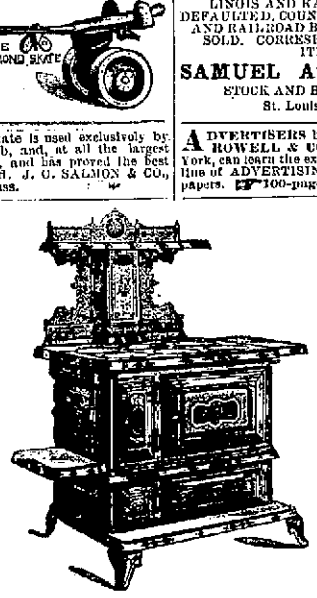

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NEWPORT COUNTY NEWS.

MIDDLETOWN.

TOWN COUNCIL.—Aside from the examination and allowance of a few accounts, amounting to $120.00, but little was done at the Council meeting on Monday last. Melville Bull was elected a special constable. Some talk was indulged in as to the best method of solving the highway difficulties at Green End, and it was urged that some plan for constructing a road across Easton's Pond should be fixed and adopted without further delay. A majority of the Council incline to the opinion that all the circumstances considered, it is advisable to have but one substantial road across the pond and that to have such an one, the present way should be extended in width throughout, and very much at its juncture on the West with Bliss Road. The present bridge is looked upon as not promising a safe and reliable ford of the pond for many years to come. It is confidently expected that soon a plan will be fixed, the water let off, the road built and the matter satisfactorily settled, which for the last ten months has provoked so much hostile discussion and occasioned so much unpleasant interchange among our people. We trust this expectation will be fully realized.

REMINDERS TO PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX PAYERS.—The collection of the tax for the present municipal year is now begun and the Collector is now ready to take and receipt for taxes every Saturday forenoon at the book-store of A. J. Ward, Newport. As a large proportion of those electors who are entitled to vote by registry and the payment of tax on personal property, paid their tax of 1883 before November of that year, this class of electors in order to vote for Electors of President and Vice President in November next, must pay their tax of 1884, by Oct. 30, to show the payment of a tax within the exact twelve months next preceeding November 4, 1884. There are about sixty voters of this class in the town and if they desire to exercise the elective franchise at the approaching election of Presidential Electors they will do well to heed this reminder.

LITTLE COMPTON.

Isaac W. Howland has sold to Capt. Julius Petty 33 acres of land on the west road near the Friends' meeting house for $2000.

At a regular meeting of the court of probate Monday, 8th inst., the first account of Albert Peckham, administrator on the estate of Cornelia Almy, was received and allowed. The final account of administrator on estate of Lucy Brown was allowed.

The corn crop will be light, probably not more than 50 per cent. of an ordinary yield. Some farmers are mowing their corn fields, considering the crop of weeds obtained to be of as much value for fodder as the corn.

The valuation of the town is $1,272,350; of which $832,100 is real estate and $440,250, personal. The following persons are taxed to the value of $10,000 or over: Phillip W. Almy, $10,500; Henry N. Almy, $13,700; West Island Club, $15,000; James I. Bailey, $11,700; John C. G. Brown, $10,500; Henry H. Brown, $11,000; Oliver C. Brownell, $10,000; Henry M. Bundy, $17,000; Thaddeus H. Church, $31,000; George A. Grey, $10,300; Andrew Hicks, $50,000; Edward W. Howland, $38,500; Charles W. Howland, $12,000; Hanna P. Pearce estate, $11,000; Isaac R. Richmond, $35,700; Henry J. Richmond, $19,000; Valentine Simmons, $12,000; George M. Seabury, $10,000; H. T. Sisson and wife, $20,000; Ephraim Sisson, $18,700; Isaac C. Wilbour, $29,500; Benjamin Seabury, $10,600.

An extraordinary incident occurred at Seconet Point, recently. It appears that an ox was grazing near the shore where the fishermen had spread their seine to dry. He strayed on to it and his feet became entangled in its meshes, which so enraged him that he attacked the seine with his horns. With each plunge of his head the beast brought the seine nearer to his feet, in consequence of which he was thrown to the ground. The fishermen after some trouble extricated the captive. The seine was badly broken and the ox completely subdued.

JAMESTOWN.

THE TOWN COUNCIL AND COURT OF PROBATE held their regular monthly meeting for September on Monday afternoon. The Town Clerk, John Jay Watson, was absent in consequence of illness, and John E. Watson was appointed Clerk pro tem. The vacancy in the Council and Court caused by the death of Mr. Cottrell has not yet been filled, but in other respects a full Board was present with President Thomas Carr Watson in the chair: The petition of Sarah E. Weeden, for remission of taxes, was received and referred to the assessors. Isaac B. Briggs was elected on the town's committee to fill the place of Frederick N. Cottrell. It was voted that a reward of five dollars be offered for sufficient proof of guilt to cause the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who lately broke some of the windows of the South school house. The following miscellaneous bills were ordered to be paid: Lucy A. Tefft, $17.50; John Jay Watson, $18.06; John Weeden, $5.25; William Magill, $10.50 Joseph Magill, $3.50; John E. Brayman, $6.87; G. W. Weeden, $6.12. The petition of Ellen Cottrell, for the appointment of herself or some other suitable person to the administratorship on the estate of the late Frederick N. Cottrell was received with order of notice. The probating of the will of the late Job W. Hazard, referred from the last meeting, was again referred to the next in consequence of the absence of witnesses. The will appoints the late Mr. Cottrell as executor, and application has now been made to the court for the appointment of Mr. George C. Carr.

DEATH OF PELEG C. CARR.—Mr. Peleg C. Carr, a life-long resident here, died at his home on Monday afternoon, after a brief illness, aggravated by the infirmities of age. He was in his 77th year and a widower; he leaves a large family of children, several of whom are married and living in different parts of the country. His eldest son, Henry Clay Carr, a graduate of Brown University, is a successful lawyer in the far West. Mr. Carr was one of the largest land owners here and was a man greatly beloved and respected for his kindly disposition and integrity of character. He was one of the best representitives of old-time farmers.

The new farm-house that Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Clarke are having built on the farm here, inherited by Mrs. Clarke from her father, the late Charles Sherman, of Newport, is work being done in accordance with a request made by Mr. Sherman a short time before his death.

TIVERTON.

Thursday, while the little son of Richard J. Barker was playing he fell, planning his arm into a pot of boiling water and scalded his arm from his wrist to his elbow.

Mrs. Betty B. Church died suddenly Tuesday, 9th, of neuralgia of the heart.

Peleg D. Humphey has harvested this season from two-thirds of an acre of land upon his Nannaquaket farm three and one-half tons of cabbage, which have sold in the Fall River market at prices ranging from 75 cents to $4 per 100 pounds, and bringing into Mr. Humphrey the sum of $325.

Since the first of September, when the State law was removed, the scallop fishing has been lively. Some days there have been 25 vessels out dredging, but within a short time they have gone to Cole's river, in Massachusetts, where the law of only taking 25 bushels a day is not enforced.

Mr. Wheeler of the Harvard Divinity School occupied the pulpit at Unitarian Memorial Chapel Sunday.

PORTSMOUTH

THE PRUDENCE ROAD.—The committee appointed at the last session of the Hon. Town Council went to Prudence Island on the 12th inst. to examine the different proposed routes for a road for the benefit of the people on said Island, in lieu of a cart path obstructed by numerous gates. No final decision was arrived at by said committee. They finally adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman before the 13th of October.

PERSONAL.—The Rev. Hobart Williams and wife have returned to St. Mary's parsonage.

NEW ENGLAND ITEMS.

MAINE.

John Patten, who escaped from the insane hospital at Augusta, Wednesday, committed suicide Thursday at Farmingdale. He placed his head on the rails in front of an express train.

Thomas J. Libby, the man who shot and killed Miss Snow at a hotel in Portland and then shot himself in the head, is lying in Portland jail. Wednesday morning he was in a better condition, and the surgeon says that if inflammation or congestion do not appear he will recover.

There are giants in Aroostook. These are giant cedar, maple and birch trees. Mr. Jones, near Caribou, cut a cedar tree the stump of which measures four feet and ten inches in diameter. He dug the stump up by the roots, hauled it home, cut out the top, fenced around its rim, hauled on soil, and his wife cultivates a flower garden on its top.

Saturday night, when a Boston paper reached Augusta with a published list of Augusta voters who were "supposed to have been bribed" in the late election, there was much indignation on the street against the correspondent who forwarded it. A warrant was taken out for his arrest, but before it was possible to serve it he had disappeared.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Col. George L. Perkins, Treasurer of the Norwich and Worcester Railroad, is seriously ill at his home in Norwich. He is 97 years of age.

The Springfield Republican says that the wife of Juan Rormon of that city, who is reputed to have fallen heir to $8,000,000 by the death of an uncle in Spain, is daughter of Rev. Mr. Cox, who many years ago filled the Methodist pulpit in Westfield. He died in the eastern part of the State quite a number of years since, and his widow has for some time been living within a few miles of Springfield in the enjoyment of a large income from an aged uncle in Boston, who is worth from $2,000,000 to $5,000,000. Mr. and Mrs. Rarmon have been living with the mother until a few weeks since.

William Lovie Tilley, formerly Probate Clerk of Newport, now a resident of Middletown, offers his services to the people as a Notary Public, to draw up instruments in writing such as wills, deeds, leases, mortgages, or would do copying of any description, all petitions to be presented to the Probate Court, or making of accounts done with dispatch and in a correct manner.

The Phonograph,

Telephone, Telegraph, and kindred electrical messengers will all be utilized by orders for SOZODONT, which will be flashed and sounded over the wires. It is as well known abroad as at home, as a cleansing agent for the teeth.

The superiority of some men is merely local. They are great, because their associates are little.

Humbugs! Impostors! Thieves!

The above are terms applied to the unreliable and dishonest. *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil* for diphtheria, catarrh, asthma, rheumatism, and all other aches, sprains, and pains is not a thing of deception but a pleasant and honest remedy. It is honestly put up, honestly sold, and does what is claimed for it.

Though we must not tempt God in the neglect of means, yet we must trust God in the want of means.

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"Had sour stomach and miserable appetite for months, and grew thin every day. I used *Burdock Blood Bitters* with the most marvelous results; feel splendid." Mr. Joseph Johnson, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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European Cities.

London, with a population of 3,814,261, requires the restraint of 12,642 police and 4874 troops. Paris contains 1,988,748 inhabitants, and is kept under by 14,000 soldiers and 12,500 policemen. Berlin has a population, of 1,118,000 25,000 troops and a police force of 3400. Vienna is the residence of 1,020,707 people, 30,000 troops and 2629 police. St. Petersburg has 670,000 inhabitants, 22,000 soldiers and 2800 policemen. In 1880 and 1881 there were 16 murders in London, 146 in Paris, 18 in Berlin and 23 in Vienna.

Not an encouraging report is that recently made of the acreage under cultivation in Ireland. It shows that of land devoted to cereal, green and flax crops there are 94,678 acres less under tillage this year than last. This falling-off is reduced by an increase of 30,916 acres meadow and clover land. The net decrease, therefore, is 63,732 acres, which is nearly 1.3 per cent. This evidence of diminished attention to agriculture is sometimes brightened by the returns showing that between 1883 and 1884 there has been an increase in the number of cattle amounting to 15,614; of sheep, 24,261; of horses and mules, 928. But there has been a decrease in the number of pigs amounting to 12,169.

Terrible Inundation in China.

A report says information has reached Canton of a frightful inundation in the province of Kiangsee. The news is dated at Kiang-Tak, the chief centre of the pottery manufacture, and one of the great markets of the Empire. The floods lasted four days and the entire country was submerged to the depth of 60 feet. Whole towns were swept away.

It is believed that fully 70,000 persons perished. It was feared that a pestilence would follow. Cholera has broken out at Amoy. The number of deaths is not given. It has been declared to be an infected port.

This is what a Boston man wrote about railroads fifty years ago: "The rich and poor, the educated and the ignorant, the polite and the vulgar, all head together in this modern improvement in travelling,* * * and all this for the sake of doing very uncomfortably in two days what would be done delightfully done in eight or ten days."

The simple announcement that 400 persons have died of cholera in one day at Naples can give little idea to the horrors it implies. King Humbert's action in visiting personally the worst of the infected districts may seem to his detractors a little theatrical, but it is doubtless inspired by the best motives.

The New York Star, Tammany's alleged organ, refuses to shout for Cleveland. This is significant in connection with the alleged indorsement.

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Frazier's Root Bitters are not a dram shop beverage, but are strictly medicinal in every sense. They act strongly upon the Liver and Kidneys, keep the bowels open and regular, make the weak strong, heal the lungs, build up the nerves, and cleanse the blood and system of every impurity. Sold by all druggists. $1.00.

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The Acid of Milk.

A Pure, Healthful, Refreshing Drink, aiding Digestion. Sold by Druggists everywhere.

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Married.

In Annawamscutt, 16th inst., at the residence of Wm. R. Dunham, by the Rev. Alfred Manchester, Charles P. Only, of Providence, to Miss Josephine A. Shaw, youngest daughter of S. G. Shaw, of this city.

Died.

In this city, 13th inst., Sarah, wife of Daniel G. Cole, aged 53 years, 5 months and 13 days.

In this city, 6th inst., Michael, infant child of Mary and the late John Eagan, aged 15 months.

In this city, 15th inst., Maggie, infant child of William and Ellen Stephenson, aged 11 months and 8 days.

In this city, 15th inst., Elizabeth Hamilton, wife of Major General George W. Cullum, U. S. A.

In this city, 17th inst., Ethel May, only child of Simeon and Lizzie Hazard, aged 9 months and 9 days.

In South Boston, Mass., 17th inst., John A. Coen, formerly of this city, aged 52 years.

In Middletown, 11th inst., Susan, widow of Jacob Sherman, in the 89th year of her age.

In Oakland, Cal., 12 inst., William Sherman, son of the late Asa and Eliza Sherman, of Portsmouth, R. I., in the 62nd year of his age.

In New Shoreham, 13th inst., Mrs. Alice O. Ball, wife of C. C. Ball and daughter of William P. Lewis.

In Jamestown, 15th inst., Peleg C. Carr, aged 77 years, 5 months.

New Advertisements.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN.

A BAY PONY MARE, weighing about 750 lbs., missed since last Friday. Anyone returning the same, or giving information of whereabouts, will be suitably rewarded by calling at The St. Nicholas Store, Newport.

9-20-1w

FOR SALE.

1 NEW DEMOCRAT and 2 second-hand wagons, apply to J. B. BAUHELLER, Langley's wharf, P. O. Box, 110. 9-20

New Advertisements.

Aquidneck Agricu'l Society.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Newport, Sept. 20, 1884.

ALL PERSONS having bills against the above society are requested to hand them to the undersigned on or before Friday, September 26.

JOHN J. PECKHAM,
Treasurer.

9-20-1w

GRAND REPUBLICAN RALLY!

Opera House,

Wednesday Ev'g, Sept. 23.

Addresses will be delivered by:

Representative Robert T. Davis, Of Massachusetts.

Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, Of Rhode Island.

Ex-Gov. C. C. VanZandt, Of Newport.

Representative Henry J. Spooner, Of Providence.

Music by the Blaine & Logan Glee Club, and the Newport Band.

The Blaine & Logan Regiment will escort the speakers to the Opera House.

ALL ARE INVITED.

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In Robert Buchanan's Great Five Act Drama

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33 SELECTED ARTISTS 33

The Rescuers of the late Greely, Lady Franklin Bay Expedition, will appear in the

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Box Office open on Saturday. 9-20

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Lectures and Chamber Concerts

AT THE

Channing Memorial Church.

THIRD SEASON.

1. Thursday Evening, Oct. 23d, 1884—
GEORGE W. CABLE, the eminent novelist and writer, will give a reading from his own works.
2. Thursday Evening, Nov. 13, 1884.
MRS. MARY LIVERMORE, on a social topic.
3. Thursday Evening, Nov. 27, 1884
THE BEETHOVEN QUARTETTE CLUB assisted by Mrs. E. Humphrey Allen, in a chamber concert.
4. Thursday Evening, December 11, 1884.
HON. WILLIAM PARSONS lectures on "Michel Angelo, the Child, the Artist, the Hero."
5. Tuesday Evening, December 30, 1884.
SIDNEY WOLLETT will recite "The Tempest.
6. Thursday Evening, January 15, 1885.
THE MENDELSSOHN QUINTETTE CLUB in a chamber concert.

☞ The lectures and concerts begin at 8 o'clock. No reserved seats.

COURSE TICKETS, ... **$1.50,** good for the six evenings, now on sale at JOHN ROGERS' Music Store, 210 Thames St., WARD'S BOOK STORE, Parade, JENKINS' BOOK STORE, 122 Bellevue Ave.

☞ Single admissions will be 50 and 75 cts.

9-20-8w

Court of Probate, City of Newport, September 15th, 1884.

ON THE PETITION, in writing, of William C. Langley and Job T. Langley, presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

MARTHA C. LANGLEY,

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary may be issued to them the said William and Job, the executors named therein:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 6th day of October, 1884, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Newport Mercury*, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

ALEX. N. BARKER,
9-20 Probate Clerk.

Court of Probate, City of Newport, September 15, 1884.

JANES J. ESSEX, guardian of the person and estate of

MABEL F. E. TOMPKINS,

minor, of Newport, presents his annual account with the estate of said minor, and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 6th day of October, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Probate Office, in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Newport Mercury*, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

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JOB B. WILBOUR,

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